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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Thurſday 3. *October* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,

HER Majeſties Commiſſion to his Grace *James* Duke of *Queensberry*, for Repreſenting Her Royal Perſon in this Seſſion of Parliament, Read, by the Lord Clerk Regiſter, and Ordered to be Recorded.

Rolls Called.

The Earl of *Morton* proteſted againſt the calling of any Earl before him.

The Earl of *Findlater* Proteſted againſt the Calling the Earl of *Airlie* before him.

The Earl of *Morton* Proteſted in Name of the Duke of *Douglaſs*, that the Calling of any others in the Rolls of Parliament before him, may not prejudge him of the firſt Vote in Parliament.

The Earl of *Leven* Proteſted againſt the Calling the Earl of *Callendar* before him.

The Lord *Roſs* Proteſted, That Sir *Alexander Bruce* ſhould not be Called in the Rolls as Earl of *Kincardin*, in reſpect of a Petition in the Clerks Hands for Lady *Mary Bruce* and her Husband, claiming Right to that Rank and Dignity.

Her Majeſties Gift and Commiſſion in favours of *James* Marqueſs of *Montroſe*, to be Preſident of Her moſt Honourable Privy Council, Read, and Ordered to be Recorded.

Her Majeſties Gift and Commiſſion, in Favours of *John* Earl of *Mar*, To be one of the Principal Secretaries of State for this Kingdom, Read, and Ordered to be Recorded.

The Earl of *Abercorn* Swore the Oath of Allegiance, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

Patent Creating Lord *Henry Scot* Earl of *Deloraine* Read, and Ordered to be Recorded; Whereupon he Swore the Oath of Allegiance, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

The Viſcount of *Kilſyth* Swore the Oath of Allegiance, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

Moved, That the Lord *Banff*, who was ſometime Papiſt, being now Proteſtant, and willing to ſign the *Formula* ſubjoyned to the Act of Parliament in *November* 1700, *For preventing the Growth of Popery*, may be admitted, and accordingly he having taken and ſigned the *Formula*, he thereafter Swore the Oath of *Allegiance*, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

Sir *Alexander Campbell* of *Ceſnock* Commiſſioner for the Shire of *Berwick*, in place of Sir *John Home* of *Blackadder* deceaſt, and Sir *Archibald Hope* of *Rankeillor* Commiſſioner for the Shire of *Fife*, in place of *Robert Douglaſs* of *Strahendrie* deceaſt, both ſwore the Oath of Allegiance, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

Mr. *Patrick Moncrieff* of *Reidie* Commiſſioner for the Burgh of *Kinghorn*, in place of Mr *James Melvill* deceaſt, ſwore the Oath of Allegiance, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

Petition Lady *Mary Bruce* and *William Cochran* younger of *Ochiltrie* her Husband for his Intereſt, againſt admitting of Sir *Alexander Bruce* to ſit in Parliament in the Rank and Dignity of Earl of *Kincardin*, Read, Sir *Alexander* Bruce in Anſwer to the ſaid Petition, craved that the Patent in Favours of Earl *Edward Bruce* of *Kincardin*, might be alſo read, which being accordingly Read; after ſome Debate upon the Caſe, It was put to the Vote, *Hear the Parties further upon the Matter*, Or *Admit Sir* Alexander, and it carryed *Hear*, and the next *Sederunt* appointed for a Hearing.

Her Majeſties Letter to the Parliament, preſented by Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, was Read firſt by the Lord Clerk Regiſter, and thereafter Read again by one of the Ordinary Clerks.

Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner made his Speech to the Parliament; as alſo my Lord Chancellor made his Speech.

And Her *Majeſties* Letter and the ſaid Speeches were Ordered to be Printed.

Articles of Union agreed on by the Commiſſioners Nominated on behalf of the Kingdom of *Scotland*, and the Commiſſioners nominated on behalf of the Kingdom of *England* preſented and read, and Ordered to be Printed, and Copies to be delivered to the Members of Parliament.

Thereafter Ordered, That the Minuts of the proceedings of the Commiſſioners of both Nations for the Treaty of Union be likeways Printed.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner Adjourned the Parliament till *Thurſday* next the 10th Inſtant at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Thurſday 10. *October* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,

THe Earl of *Sutherland* Proteſted againſt the Calling any Earl before him in the Rolls of Parliament.

Alexander Abercrombie of *Glaſſoch*, Commiſſioner for the Shire of *Banff*, in place of *Alexander Duff* of *Bracco* deceaſt, Swore the Oath of Allegeance, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

Act for Settling the Orders of the Parliament Houſe Read, and Copies thereof ordained to be affixed on the *Doors*, and other places according to Cuſtom.

The Caſe Lady *Mary Bruce* and her Husband for his Intereſt, againſt Sir *Alexander Bruce* of *Broomhall*, Called, and their Procurators being heard, and the Parliament having conſidered the Debate, it was put to the Vote, *Admit Sir* Alexander Bruce, *or no*; and carried *Admit*: (Reſerving to Lady *Mary Bruce* and her Husband for his Intereſt, their Right and Declarator before the Lords of Seſſion, as accords.) And he did take his Place as Earl of *Kincardin* accordingly, ſwore the Oath of Allegeance, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament:

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Saturday* next at Ten a Clock.

B*Y Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray of Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Saturday 12. *October* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,

Rolls Called,

Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THE Lord *Oliphant* Swore the Oath of Allegiance, Subſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of *Parliament.*

Moved, That the Articles of Union, agreed on by the Commiſſioners nominated on behalf of the Kingdoms of *Scotland* and *England*, be again Read ; And alſo Moved, That the Minuts of the Proceedings of the ſaids Commiſſioners be likeways Read ; and after ſome Reaſoning, It was Agreed, That the ſaids Articles of Union ſhould be Read ; and Ordered, That all Records relating to former Treaties, betwixt the two Kingdoms, be laid on the Table, and in the Intervals of Parliament they be to be ſeen in the Laigh Parliament Houſe, where ſome of my Lord Regiſters Servants are to attend.

And the Articles of Union being accordingly again Read, It was agreed, That the Parliament ſhould proceed to the Conſideration of the ſaids Articles of Union the next *Sederunt.*

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to *Tueſday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tueſday, 15. *October* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read* ;

WArrand Granted to the Barons and Freeholders of the Shire of *Fife*, to meet on *Tueſday* the Twenty Ninth inſtant, to elect a Commiſſioner in place of Sir *Archibald Hope* of *Rankeillor* deceaſt.

Moved, That according to the laſt Minuts, the Parliament ſhould now proceed to the Conſideration of the Articles of Union,

Moved, That the Members of Parliament may yet be allowed Eight days furder to conſider more deliberatly the Articles and Minuts ; and after ſome Reaſoning, it was put to the Vote, *Proceed preſently to the Conſideration of the Articles of Union,* Or, *Continue the Conſideration thereof till the firſt* Sederunt *next Week*, and it carried *Proceed.*

Whereupon the firſt Article of Union was Read ; as alſo the Minuts of the Proceedings of the Commiſſioners for the Treaty, relative thereto, and Her Majeſties Commiſſion to the Commiſſioners for the Treaty on behalf of this Kingdom, were likeways Read ; and after ſome Reaſoning and Diſcourſing thereupon, the further Conſideration thereof was Delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Thurſday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and* Succeſſors *of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

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Thurſday 17 October 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

ADreſs of the Commiſſion of the late General Aſſembly of the Church of this Kingdom, for Eſtabliſhing and Confirming the true Proteſtant Religion, and Government of the Church, as by Law Eſtabliſhed therein, Read; And thereupon the Parliament Declared, That before Concluding the Union, They would take the ſaid Adreſs to their Conſideration, and would do every Thing Neceſſary for Securing the true Proteſtant Religion and Church-Government, preſently by Law Eſtabliſhed in this Kingdom.

Diſpenſation granted to Inferior Courts to ſit, notwithſtanding of the ſitting of the Parliament.

The Parliament proceeded to the further Conſideration of the Articles of Union, and the ſecond Article thereof was Read; As alſo, the Minuts of the Treaty relative thereto; and the Act of the Parliament of *England*, in the firſt Year of the Reign of Their late Majeſties King *William* and Queen *Mary*, Entituled, *An Act Declaring the Rights and Priviledges of the Subjects, and ſettling the Succeſsion of the Crown*, were likeways Read, and were thereafter Reaſoned and Diſcourſed upon.

The Third Article Read.

And thereafter the Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Articles were all ſeverally Read, with the Minuts relative thereto, and were all Reaſoned and Diſcourſed upon.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Saturday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

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Saturday 19 October 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,

MR. *James Dunbar* Younger of *Hemprigs*, Commiſſioner elected for the Shire of *Caithneſs*, in place of Sir *George Sinclair* of *Clyth* deceaſt, took the Oath of Alledgiance, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

Mr. *John Stuart* Younger of *Blackhall* excuſed by his Grace Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, in reſpect of his Indiſpoſition; As alſo, the Earl of *Lawderdale* excuſed for this Days Abſence.

Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

The Parliament proceeded to the further Conſideration of the Articles of Union, and the Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth and Fourteenth Articles were all ſeverally Read, with the Minuts of Treaty relating thereto, and were all diſcourſed on.

The Fifteenth Article of Union was likeways twice Read and Diſcourſed and Reaſoned on; as alſo, the Minuts relative thereto: And after ſome Reaſoning thereon, there aroſe a Debate about the Calculation of the Equivalent of Three hundred ninety eight Thouſand eighty five Pound ten Shillings therein mentioned, which was adjourned till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Tueſday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tueſday 22. *October* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THE Debate anent the Calculation of the Equivalent of Three Hundred Ninety Eight Thouſand Eighty Five Pounds Ten Shillings mentioned in the Fifteenth Article of Union, Reſumed; and after ſome time ſpent thereupon, It was agreed to Nominat a Committee of Three Perſons of each State to Proceed and Examine the Calculation of the ſaid Three Hundred Ninety Eight Thouſand Eighty Five Pounds Ten Shillings, and to Report to the Parliament, and the next *Sederunt* of Parliament appointed for Nominating the ſaid Committee.

Thereafter ſeveral Paragraphs of the ſaid Fifteenth Article were again Read, and further Reaſoned and Diſcourſed on.

The Sixteenth and Seventeenth Articles were alſo Read, and the Minuts relative thereto, and were Reaſoned upon.

The Eighteenth Article and the Minuts relative thereto were likeways Read, and after ſome Diſcourſe and Reaſoning thereon, The further Conſideration of the ſaid Article was delayed till next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till the Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her* Majeſties *High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her* Majeſties *Printer, to print theſe* Minuts *of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Wedneſday 23. *October* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

WArrand granted (upon a Petition) to Sir *Patrick* and *James Ogilvies* Elder and Younger of *Boyn*, To Cite their Creditors, in Order to their obtaining Protection.

The Parliament, conform to the Minut of the laſt *Sederunt*, Proceeded to Elect the Committee for Examination of the Calculation of the Equivalent of Three Hundered Ninety Eight Thouſand Eighty Five Pounds Ten Shillings. And the Three Eſtates having Separated to their uſual Places, Returned and Reported their reſpective Elections, and the Liſt of the Committee is as follows; Of the Nobility, The Marqueſs of *Montroſe* Lord Preſident of the Privy Council, the Duke of *Argyle* and the Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*; Of the Commiſſioners for Shires, Sir *Alexander Campbell* of *Ceſnock*, *George Baillie* of *Jerviſwood* and *John Hadden* of *Glenagies*; Of the Commiſſioners for Burghs, *Robert Inglis*, Lieutenant-Colonel *John Areskine* and *Hugh Montgomery*, and the Committee was appointed to meet in the Inner-Seſſion houſe the firſt Interval day of Parliament, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon.

Thereafter the Eighteenth Article of Union was again Read, and upon Reaſoning thereon, It was Moved, That the *Engliſh* Laws, concerning Regulation of Trade, Cuſtoms and ſuch Exciſes, to which this Kingdom by virtue of the Treaty, is to be lyable, be Printed for Information. Moved likeways that it be Remitted to a Committee to Conſider the ſeveral Branches of Our Trade as to Export and Import, with the *Engliſh* Laws and Book of Rates in Relation thereto, with the Cuſtoms and Exciſes thereof, for the Satisfaction of the Members of Parliament thereanent, and to cauſe Print ſuch of the Acts of the *Engliſh* Parliament concerning the ſame as they find expedient, or to Report to the Parliament; and after ſome Debate on theſe Motions, The further Conſideration thereof was delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Friday* next at Ten of the Clock.

B*Y Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS
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Saturday 26. October 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

THe Lord high Chancellor Repreſented to the Parliament, That he was directed by the Lords of Her Majeſties Privy Council, To Acquaint the Parliament, That upon occaſion of a Rabble and Tumult that happened in *Edinburgh* upon *Wedneſday* Night laſt, by which ſeveral Members of Parliament were Threatned and Inſulted; The Privy Council had, for the Security of the Members of Parliament and peace of the Town, brought in a part of the Foot-Guards to the Town of *Edinburgh*, and had iſſued forth a Proclamation againſt ſuch Tumultuary Meetings, in the Terms of ſeveral Acts of Parliament.

Whereupon, and after ſome Reaſoning, a Propoſition was made in thir Terms, That the Eſtates of Parliament being ſenſible of the Care and Concern of the Lords of Privy Council, to Suppreſs the late Tumult and Mob, and to ſecure the Safety and Quiet of the Parliament, That therefore they ſhould Return to their Lordſhips the Thanks of the Parliament, and ſhould Recommend to my Lord high Commiſſioner & the Privy Council to continue their Care for the Safety and Security of the Parliament, and the Peace and Quiet of the Town; which being Read,

After ſome Diſcourſe thereupon, It was Moved, That the proclamation of privy Council ſhould be Read, & the ſamen being accordingly Read, the Earl of *Errol* Lord high Conſtable gave in a Proteſtation in the following Terms, *That he for himſelf, and in Name of ſuch as ſhould Adhere to his proteſtation, proteſted, That the continuing of ſtanding Forces within the Town of* Edinburgh, *and keeping Guard with them in the Parliament Cloſs and other places within the Town the time of* Parliament, *(as at preſent is done) is contrary to the* Right *of his* Office *as high* Conſtable; *by which he has the only* Priviledge *of Guarding the Parliament without* Doors, *as the* Earl Mariſchal *has within Doors, and is an Incroachment on the* Rights *and* Priviledges *of Parliament, and on the particular Rights and* Priviledges *of the Town of* Edinburgh; *and if any Vote ſhall paſs contrair to his ſaid Right, or the Right of the* Earl Mariſchal, *or* Rights *and* Priviledges *of* Parliament, *or the Town of* Edinburgh, *That it ſhall not in any Time hereafter prejudge the ſame, or be any ways drawn in* Conſequence; And he deſired the ſaid Proteſtation to be inſert in the Minuts, and Recorded in the Books of parliament; Which Proteſtation being Read, the ſaid Earl of *Errol* did take Inſtruments thereupon, and the Duke of *Hamilton*, Duke of *Athol*, Marqueſs of *Annandale*, Earl *Mariſchal*, Earl of *Wigtoun*, Earl of *Strathmore*, Earl of *Selkirk*, Earl of *Kincardin*, Viſcount of *Stormount*, Viſcount of *Kilſyth*, the Lord *Semple*, the Lord *Oliphant*, the

Lord *Balmerinoch*, the Lord *Blantyre*, the Lord *Bargany*, the Lord *Beilhaven*, the Lord *Colvil* & the Lord *Kinnaird*, *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath*, Sir *James Foulis* of *Collingtoun*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, *John Brisban* of *Biſhoptoun*, Mr. *William Cochran* of *Kilmaronock*, *John Steuart* of *Kinwhinlick*, *John Grahame* of *Killearn*, *James Grahame* of *Bucklyvie*, *Robert Rollo* of *Powhouſe*, Sir *Patrick Murray* of *Auchtertyre*, *John Murray* of *Strowan*, Sir *Thomas Burnet* of *Leys*, *Alexander Gordon* of *Pitlurg*, *James More* of *Stoniewood*, Mr. *Patrick Lyon* of *Auchterhouſe*, *David Grahame* of *Fintry*, *James Ogilvie* younger of *Boyn*, *Alexander M^c^gie* of *Palgown*, Mr. *James Dumbar* younger of *Hemprigs*, *George Mackenzie* of *Inchcoulter*, *Alexander Robertſon*, *Alexander Edgar*, *Alexander Duff*, *Francis Molliſon*, *Robert Kellie*, Mr. *William Sutherland*, *Archbald Shiells*, Mr. *John Lyon*, Mr. *John Caruthers*, *George Home*, Mr. *James Bethun*, *John Bayne* and Mr. *Robert Frazer* adhered thereto.

And after ſome further Debate upon the ſaid Propoſition, a Vote was ſtated *Approve thereof or not*, But it being Objected, That the ſame conſiſted of two diſtinct Articles, The one Approving what was done, and the other Recommending to the Privy Council, to continue their Care, which ought to be ſeparatly Conſidered and Voted; The Vote was thereupon ſtated, Whether the Propoſition ſhould be Voted *Joyntly* or *Separatly*.

But before Voting, upon a Motion made by the Commiſſioners for the Town of *Edinburgh*, It was agreed to, That it ſhould be but prejudice of the ſaid Town of *Edinburghs* Rights and priviledges by their Charters.

Then the Vote was put *Joyntly* or *Separatly*, and it carried *Joyntly*.

Thereafter the Vote was put *Approve of the propoſition or not*, and it carried *Approve*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Monday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk* Regiſter, *Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to Print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Monday 28. *October* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,

PAtent Creating Lord *Archibald Campbell* Earl of *Iſla*, Read, and Ordered to be Recorded ; Whereupon he took the Oath of Allegiance, Subſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

The Lord *Duffus* took the Oath of Allegiance, Subſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

M*inuts of the laſt* Sederunt Read.

Thereafter the Parliament proceeded to the Conſideration of the Articles of Union, and the Eighteenth Article was again Read, and further Diſcourſed on.

Thereafter the Nineteenth, Twentieth, and Twenty Firſt Articles were Read, and the Minuts relative thereto, and the further Conſideration of theſe Articles delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament, till the Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

B*Y Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her* MAJ*eſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray of Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her* MAJ*eſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament

Tueſday 29. *October* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

THE Nineteenth *Article* of Union was again *Read*, as alſo the Twentieth and Twenty Firſt *Articles*, and were ſeverally *Reaſoned* on.

Thereafter the Twenty Second and Twenty Third *Articles* were likeways *Read*, and the Minuts relative thereto, and after ſome *Reaſoning* thereupon, The further *Conſideration* of theſe *Articles* was delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord *Chancellor*, by Order of Her Majeſties high *Commiſſioner*, adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry, Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to Print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Wedneſday 30. *October* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

THE Twenty Second and Twenty Third Articles of Union were again Read, and further Diſcourſed on.

Thereafter the Twenty Fourth and Twenty Fifth Articles of Union, & the Minuts relative thereto were alſo Read, and ſeverally Reaſoned on.

ACT Adjourning the Seſſion till the Firſt Day of *December* next, Read, and a firſt Reading ordered to be marked thereon.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Friday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and* Succeſſors *of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Friday 1. November. 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,

MR. *Thomas Hope* of *Rankeilor*, Commiſſioner Elected for the Shire of *Fife*, in place of Sir *Archibald Hope* of *Rankeilor* Deceaſt, took the Oath of Allegiance, Subſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

Act for Adjourning the Seſſion till the Firſt of *December* next, Read for the ſecond time, and Voted and Approven.

Moved, That the parliament now proceed to the further and more Particular Conſideration of the Articles of Union, in order to Approve them or not, and to begin with and Read the Firſt Article.

Moved alſo, That the further Conſideration of the Articles of Union be yet delayed for ſome conſiderable Time, that the Sentiments of the Parliament of *England* thereanent be known; and that the Members of Parliament may conſult theſe whom they Repreſent; And after ſome Debate on theſe Motions, The following Petitions and Addreſſes were preſented, *viz.* one by ſome of the Barrons, Freeholders and others Subſcribing the ſame within the Shire of *Mid-Lothian*, another by ſome of the Barrons, Freeholders and others, Subſcribing the ſame, within the Shire of *Linlithgow*, and three by ſome of the Barrons and Freeholders of *Perth* ſhire Subſcribing the ſame, all againſt allowing of an Incorporat Union with *England*, and all read & Diſcourſed on; And thereafter the Debate for delay on account of conſulting of thoſe whom the Members Repreſent, and of knowing the Sentiments of the Nation, and the procedure of the Parliament of *England* was let fall, and agreed that the Firſt Article of Union ſhould be Read, but that it ſhould be intire next *Sederunt* of parliament to Debate whether or not the firſt Article ſhould be concluded by Approving thereof or not, Or if the Parliament may not, before concluding thereof, begin with and conclude any other of the Articles, and accordingly the Firſt Article was Read.

Thereafter the *Act* adjourning the Seſſion till the firſt of *December* next was Touched with the Scepter, by Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, in the uſual mannner.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till the morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY Order of His Grace James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe* Minuts *of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Saturday 2. November 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THE Firſt Article of Union was again Read, and thereupon a Motion was offered in thir Terms, That it be agreed to, in the firſt place, To proceed to take the firſt Article of Union to Conſideration, with this Proviſion, That if the other Articles of Union be not adjuſted by the Parliament, then the Agreeing to, and Approving of the Firſt, ſhall be of no Effect; And that immediatly after the ſaid firſt Article, the Parliament will proceed to an Act *For ſecurity of the Doctrine, Diſcipline, Worſhip and Government of the Church, as now by Law Eſtabliſhed within this Kingdom*: And after ſome Debate thereon, there was a State of a Vote offered, Approve of the Motion, *Yea* or *No*.

Whereupon there was a Reſolve offered in thir Terms, *That before this Houſe proceed to Vote any of the Articles of the Treaty, they will hear what Security the Commiſſion of the Church is to offer for the Church Government, and that before any Incorporating Union be voted*; And after ſome further Debate upon the ſaid Motion and Reſolve, a ſecond State of a Vote was offered, That the Church Government be taken into Conſideration before the Articles of Treaty, *Yea* or *No*.

And after ſome Debate, Which of the Two ſhould be the State of the Vote, it was put to the Vote, Whether the Firſt or Second ſhould be the State of the Vote, and it carried the Firſt; Thereafter it was put to the Vote, *Approve* of the Motion or *Not*, and it carried *Approve*.

Whereupon the firſt Article of Union was again Read, and after ſome Reaſoning thereon, it being objected, That an Incorporating Union of the two Kingdoms, was contrair to, and inconſiſtent with the *Claim of Right*; The *Claim of Right*, and the third Act of the firſt Parliament of Her Majeſty Queen *Anne*, Entituled, *Act for approving the turning the Meeting of the Eſtates into a Parliament*, and the Letter of the Meeting of the Eſtates to King *William* the twenty fourth of *April* One thouſand ſix hundred eighty nine were all Read.

And an Addreſs by the Barrons, Freeholders, Heretors and other Gentlemen in the Shire of *Forfar* Subſcribers of the ſame, againſt allowing of an Incorporating Union with *England*, being given in, was alſo Read.

And after long Reaſoning and Debate on the ſaid firſt Article of Union, and Objection, it was of Conſent agreed, That the ſame ſhould be delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Monday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.* JA: MURRAY *Cls. Reg.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Monday 4. November 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

THen the following Addreſſes were preſented, *Viz.* Addreſs of Barrons, Freeholders and others within the Shire of *Stirling*, Subſcribers of the ſame; Addreſs of Barrons, Freeholders and others within the Shire of *Dumbarton*, Subſcribers of the ſame; Addreſs of the Magiſtrats, Town-Council, Deacons of Crafts and Burgeſſes within the Burgh of *Linlithgow*, Subſcribers of the ſame, Addreſs of Heretors and others Inhabitants of the Town and Paroch of *Dunkeld alias Caledonia*, Subſcribers of the ſame; and an Addreſs of the Town and Paroch of *Dyſert*, ſubſcribers of the ſame, all againſt an Incorporating Union with *England*, and were Read.

Thereafter the Firſt Article of Union was again Read, as alſo the Motion mentioned in the laſt Minute relating thereto, *Viz.* That it be agreed to in the firſt place to proceed to take the firſt Article of the Union to Conſideration, with this Proviſion, That if the other Articles of Union be not adjuſted by the Parliament, then the agreeing to and approving of the firſt ſhall be of no effect,and that immediatly after the ſaid firſt Article, The Parliament will proceed to an Act for ſecurity of the Doctrine, Diſcipline, Worſhip and Government of the Church, as now by Law Eſtabliſhed within this Kingdom; And after ſome further Debate upon the ſaid Article, a Reſolve was offered in thir Terms, Viz. *Whereas it evidently appears ſince the Printing, Publiſhing and Conſidering of the Articles of Treaty, now before this Houſe; This Nation ſeems generally averſe to this Incorporating Union in the Terms now before us, as Subverſive of the Sovereignty, Fundamental Conſtitution and Claim of Right of this Kingdom, and as threatning Ruine to this Church as by Law Eſtabliſhed.*

And ſince it is plain, That if an Union were agreed to in theſe Terms by this Parliament, and accepted of by the Parliament of England, *it would in no ſort anſwer the Peaceable and Friendly Ends propoſed by an Union; But would on the contrair Create ſuch Diſmal Diſtractions and Animoſities amongſt our ſelves, and ſuch Jealouſies and Miſtakes betwixt us and our Neighbours, as would involve theſe Nations into fatal Breaches and Confuſions.*

Therefore, Reſolved, *That we are willing to enter into ſuch an Union with our Neighbours of* England, *as ſhall Unite us intirely, and after the moſt ſtrict manner, in all their and our Intereſts of Succeſſion, Wars, Alliances and Trade,* Reſerving *to Us the Sovereignty and Independency of Our Crown and Monarchy, and Immunities of the Kingdom, and the Conſtitution and Frame of the Government both of Church and State; as they ſtand now Eſtabliſhed by our Fundamental Conſtitution, by our Claim of Right, and by the Laws following thereupon;* Or, Reſolved, *That we will proceed to ſettle the ſame Succeſſion with* England, *upon ſuch* Conditions *and Regulations of Government within our ſelves, as ſhall effectually ſecure the Sovereignty and Independency of this Crown and Kingdom, and the indiſſolvable Society of the ſame, with the Fundamental Rights and Conſtitutions of the Government both of Church and State, as the ſame ſtands Eſtabliſhed by the* Claim of Right, *and other Laws and Statutes of this Kingdom.*

Which being Read, and after Debate thereon, the Vote was ſtated, Approve of the Firſt Article of Union in the terms of the Motion, *Yea* or *Not.*

But before Voting, the Duke of *Athole* gave in the following Proteſt Viz, *That he, for himſelf and all others, who ſhall adhere, Proteſted, That an Incorporating Union of the Crown and Kingdom of* Scotland, *with the Crown and Kingdom of* England, *and, that both Nations ſhould be repreſented by one and the ſame Parliament, as contained in the Articles of the Treaty of Union,* Is contrair *to the Honour, Intereſt, Fundamental Laws and Conſtitution of this Kingdom, The Birth-right of the Peers, the Rights and Priviledges of the Barons, and Burrows, and is contrair to the Claim of Right, Property and Liberty of the Subjects, and third Act of Her Majeſties Parliament One thouſand ſeven hundred and three, by which it is Declared* high Treaſon, in any of the Subjects of this Kingdom to quarrel or endeavour by Writing, malicious and adviſed Speaking, or other open Act or Deed, To alter or innovat the *Claim of Right* or any Article thereof; *and Reſerving Liberty to him and his Adherents to renew their Proteſtation againſt further proceedings in the ſaid Matter, and to adjoyn their Reaſons for the ſame, and deſired this his Proteſtation be marked in the Records of Parliament.* Which being Read, The ſaid Duke of *Athole* took Inſtruments thereon, and the Duke of *Hamilton*, Marqueſs of *Annandale*, Earl of *Errol*, Earl *Mariſchal*, Earl of *Wigtoun*, Earl of *Strathmore*, Earl of *Selkirk*, Earl of *Kincardin*, Viſcount of *Stormount*, Viſcount of *Kilſyth*, the Lord *Sempil*, the Lord *Oliphant*, the Lord *Balmerino*, the Lord *Blantyre*, the Lord *Barganie*, the Lord *Beilhaven*, the Lord *Colvil* and the Lord *Kinnaird*, *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath*, Sir *James Foulis* of *Collingtoun*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, Sir *Robert Sinclair* of *Longformacus*, Sir *Patrick Home* of *Rentoun*, *John Sinclair* younger of *Stevenſon*, *John Sharp* of *Hoddom*, Mr. *Alexander Ferguſon* of *Iſle*, *John Brisbain* of *Biſhoptoun*, Mr. *William* Cochran of *Kilmaronock*, Sir *Humphrey* Colquhoun of *Luſs*, *John Grahame* of *Killairn*, *James Graham*, of *Bucklyvie*, *Thomas Sharp* of *Houſtoun*, Sir *Patrick* Murray of *Auchtertyre*, *John* Murray of *Strowan*, *James More* of *Stonywood*, *David* Beaton of Bal-

foure

Mr. *Thomas Hope* of *Rankeilor*, Mr. *Patrick Lyon* of *Auchterhouſe*, Mr. *James Carnagie* of *Phinhaven*, *David Grahame* younger of *Fintrie*, *James Ogilvie* younger of *Boyn*, Mr. *George Mackenzie* of *Inchcoulter*, *Alexander Robertſon*, *Walter Steuart*, *Alexander Watſon*, *Alexander Edgar*, *John Black*, *James Oſwald*, *Robert Johnſtoun Alexander Duff*, *Francis Moliſon*, *Walter Scot*, *George Smith*, *Robert Scot*, *Robert Kellie*, *John Hutchiſon*, Mr. *William Sutherland*, *Archibald Sheills*, Mr. *John Lyon*, *George Spence*, Mr. *William Johnſtoun*, Mr. *John Caruthers*, *George Home*, *John Baine*, and Mr. *Robert Fraſer* adhered thereto.

Then the Vote was put, Approve of the ſaid Firſt Article of Union in the Terms of the Motion, *Yea* or *Not*, and it carried *Approve*.

Moved, That the Liſt of the haill Members of Parliament as they Voted, *Pro* or *Con* be Printed, and it was agreed to.

Thereafter an Overture for an Act, *For Security of the true Proteſtant Religion, and Government of the* Church, *as by Law Eſtabliſhed within this Kingdom*, was Read and ordered to be Printed.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Wedneſday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY Order of his Grace James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James **Murray** *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew **Anderſon**, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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IN *the Parliament* Monday 4*th* November 1706, *a Vote was ſtated in thir Terms, Approve of the Firſt Article of Union in the Terms of the Motion mentioned in the preceeding Days Minuts, Viz.* That if the other Articles of Union be not adjuſted by the Parliament, then the agreeing to and approving of the Firſt, ſhall be of no effect ; *and that immediatly after the ſaid Firſt Article, the Parliament will proceed to an Act* For Security of the Doctrine, Diſcipline, Worſhip and Government of the Church, as now by Law Eſtabliſhed within this Kingdom, *and it carried* Approve, *in the terms of the above* Motion, *and the Liſt of the Members as they Voted* Pro *and* Con, (*ordered to be Printed*) *is as follows.*

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor
Marq:of MontroſeP.S.*C.*
Duke of Argyle
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian.
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Eglintoun.
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Galloway.
Weymes
Dalhouſie
Leven
Northeſque
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmont
Hyndfoord
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcounts.
Duplin
Garnock.
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Frazer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
*L*ord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk

Of the Barons

Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Mr. John *P*ringle of Haining
Will: Morieſon of Preſtoungrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *D*ouglaſs of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William *D*alrymple of Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicoultry
Sir Robert *P*ollock of that Ilk
Mr. John Montgomery of Wrae
John Hadden of Glenagies
Mungo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant younger of that Ilk
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M'leod of Catboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell younger of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of *P*itcurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
William Maxwell of Cardineſs.
Mr James Dumbar yor. of Hemprigs
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
John Scrymſour
Lieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John *M*uir
James Scot
Patrick Bruce
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
George Monro
Sir Andrew Home
William Coltran
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr: William Carmichael
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir *D*avid Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr: John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardice
William Alvis
Mr. Roderick Mackenzie
John Urquhart
Sir James *S*teuart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *D*alrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar. I. P. D. P.*

NOES

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marqueſs of Annandale.
Earls
Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Glencairn
Wigtoun
Strathmore
Selkrig.
Kincardin.
Viſcounts
Stormount
Kilſyth.
Lords
Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart of Carnwath
Sir James Foulis of Colingtoun
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
Sir Gilbert *E*liot of *M*into
William Baillie of *L*amingtoun
John *S*inclair yor. of Stevenſon
John Sharp of Hoddam
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
Jo: Brisbane younger of Biſhoptoun
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
*S*ir John Houſtoun of that Ilk
John Grahame of Killairn
James Grahame of Bucklyvie
Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
Sir Patrick Murray of Auchtertyre
John Murray of Strowan
Sir *D*avid Ramſay of Balmain
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
James More of Stoniewood
John Forbes of Culloden
*D*avid Beathun of Balfour
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeilor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie of Phinhaven
*D*avid Grahame youuger of Fintrie
James Ogilvie younger of Boyn
Alexander Mcgie of Palgoun
Sir Henry Innes younger of that Ilk
*A*lexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw
Mr. George Mackenzie of Inchoulter

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
Walter Stewart
Alexander Watſon
Hugh Montgomery
Alexander Edgar
John Black
James Oſwald
Robert Johnſtoun
*A*lexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
Walter Scot
George Smith
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
John Hutcheſon
Mr. William *S*utherland
*A*rchibald *S*heils
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dougal Steuart
George Brodie
George Spence
*S*ir David Cuninghame
Mr. William Johnſtoun
Mr. John Caruthers
George Home
Mr. James Bethun
John Bayne
Mr. Robert Frazer.

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MINUTS Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Wedneſday 6. November 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THE Lord Chancellor Moved, That albeit he had no Opportunity to Vote for Approving of the Firſt Article of Union, yet he deſired his Name to be Recorded, and to be *Printed* with thoſe who Voted *Approve*, and the ſame was agreed to.

Addreſs of the Commiſſioners to the General Convention of the Royal Burrows, ſubſcribed by the *Preſes* of the Convention, againſt Concluding ſuch an Incorporating Union, as is contained in the *Articles* propoſed, given in and Read.

Then the following Addreſſes were given in *viz.* Addreſs by Barrons, Freeholders and others within the Shire of *Renfrew*, ſubſcribing the ſame; Addreſs by Barrons, Freeholders and others within the Shire of *Fife*, ſubſcribing the ſame, and an Addreſs by the Magiſtrats of the Burgh of *Falkland*, Counſellors and Inhabitants therein, and of Heretors within the Paroch thereof, ſubſcribing the ſame; all againſt allowing of an Incorporating Union, in the Terms contained in the Articles, with *England*, & were all Read.

And an Addreſs by Heretors, Elders, and Maſters of Families within the Paroch of *Hamilton*, ſubſcribers of the ſame, That no Union be haſtily entered into with *England*, alſo given in and Read.

Act for Security of the True Proteſtant Religion and Government of the Church as by Law eſtabliſhed within this Kingdom, again Read, and a Firſt Reading Ordered to be Marked thereon.

Accompt, Charge and Diſcharge of the Fonds for the Troops, Gariſons and Friggots, given in and Ordered to ly upon the Table.

Act for a Supply to be granted to Her Majeſty for Maintenance of the ſtanding Forces, Forts, Gariſons and Friggots preſented and Read, and a firſt Reading Ordered to be Marked thereon.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Friday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her* Majeſties *High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her* Majeſties *Printer, to print theſe* Minuts *of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Friday 8 *November* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

REpreſentation and Petition of the Commiſſion of the General Aſſembly of this Church, Repreſenting ſeveral Difficulties in Relation to ſome of the Articles of Union, and Craving ſuteable Remedies, Read.

Then the following Addreſſes were given in and Read, *viz.* Addreſs of the Inhabitants of the Paroch of *Tulliallan*, ſubſcribing the ſame, Addreſs of the Magiſtrates, Town-Council, Merchants, Deacons of Crafts, and other Tradeſmen and Inhabitants within the Burgh of *Dumfermling*, ſubſcribers of the ſame: And an Addreſs by Heretors, Merchants, Maſters of Ships, Mariners, and other Inhabitants in the Town of *Borrowſtounneſs*, ſubſcribing the ſame, all againſt allowing of an Incorporating Union with *England* upon the Terms contained in the Articles.

As alſo, an Addreſs of the Inhabitants of the Paroch of *Blantyre*, ſubſcribers of the ſame, and an Addreſs of Heretors and Commoners in the Paroch of *Avendale*, ſubſcribing the ſame, That no Union be haſtily entered into with *England*, were likeways given in and Read.

Thereafter an Act for Security of the True Proteſtant Religion and Government of the Church, as by Law Eſtabliſhed within this Kingdom, was again Read.

Moved, That the Conſideration of the ſaid Act be delayed till the next *Sederunt*.

Moved alſo, That the Parliament proceed to the Conſideration of the Act for a Supply.

And after ſome Reaſonings on theſe Motions, It was agreed to lay aſide the Act for Security of the Proteſtant Religion and Church Government for this *Sederunt*, and to proceed to the Act for a Supply, and accordingly the Act for a Supply was again Read.

And it was agreed that a Supply of Eight Months Ceſs ſhould be granted to Her Majeſty for the Ends and Uſes mentioned in the Act, extending to Five Hundred and Seventy Seven Thouſand Sixty Six Pounds, Thirteen Shilling Four Pennies, and that it ſhould be payable at the Terms following, *viz.* One Months Supply the Tenth of *December* for *Martinmaſs* next, One Month and an half Months Snpply at *Candlemaſs* One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Seven, One Month and an half at *Whitſunday*, One Month and an half at *Lambaſs*, One Month and an half at *Martinmaſs* the ſaid Year, and one Months Supply at *Candlemaſs* One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Eight.

Moved, That in place of the Retention of a Twelfth part of Annualrents allowed by the above Act for a Supply, there be an Allowance granted for Retention of a Sixth Part of Annualrents, and after ſome Reaſoning thereupon, it was put to the Vote *Approve* of the Article anent the Retention, or *Amend*, and it carried *Approve*.

And after ſome Amendments, the Act was Voted and Approven.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till the Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Saturday 9. November 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read;*

THe Act for a Supply was Touched with the Scepter by her Majeſties high Commiſſioner in the uſual manner.

Then a Propoſal was given in for appointing ſome of the Members of Parliament, to view and conſider what Advance Mr. *James Anderſon* has made in the Work recommended to him by the Parliament, and what appeared fit to be further done in that Affair; Whereupon the Parliament remitted to the Earl of *Glaſgow*, the Lord *Balmerinnoch*, Sir *John Lauder* of *Fountainhall*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, Sir *Patrick Johnſtoun*, and Sir *David Dalrymple*, or any three of them to conſider what is above propoſed.

Thereafter the following Addreſſes were given in and read, *viz.* Addreſs by the Provoſt, Baillies, Town-Council and Burgeſſes of the Burgh of *Forfar* ſubſcribing the ſame. Addreſs of Heretors and Commons in the Paroch of *Cambuſnethan* ſubſcribing the ſame, Addreſs of the Heretors, Elders, and Heads of Families of the Paroch of *Cambuſlang* ſubſcribers of the ſame. Addreſs by Heretors, Seſſion and Inhabitants of the Paroch of *Kilbryde* ſubſcribing the ſame. Addreſs of Heretors, Elders, and Maſters of Families in the Paroch of *Bothwel* ſubſcribing the ſame. And an Addreſs by Heretors and Commons in the Paroch of *Old Munkland* ſubſcribing the ſame: All againſt entering into an Union with *England* in the terms of the Articles.

Then a Propoſal given in, that one Months Ceſs given for the three Friggots and two Birlings, will not outreik and maintain them, conſidering their bad Condition by ſtormy Weather, and conſidering the Eſtabliſhment; and that therefore an half Months Ceſs be further granted for their Outreik and Maintenance, which being read, the ſame was ordered to ly upon the Table.

Petition for the Laird of *Grant* elder, craving a Remit to the Lords of Seſſion, in place of the Commiſſion for Valuation of Teinds, for determining an Action to be raiſed by him in relation to the Teinds of *Pluſcardin*, read, and the Petition ordered to be ſeen and anſwered by any party concerned againſt the laſt *Sederunt* of Parliament next Week.

Thereafter the Act for Security of the True *Proteſtant Religion* and Government of the Church as by Law eſtabliſhed within this Kingdom was again read; And upon reading the firſt Clauſe thereof, It was moved, that there ſhould be a particular Enumeration made of all the Acts in favours of the Kirk; And after ſome Reaſoning thereon, the Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the Clauſe as it ſtands, or amend and enumerat the Acts*, and it carried *Approve*.

Then the ſecond Clauſe of the ſaid Act was read, and agreed to.

And upon reading the third Clauſe, it was moved, That an Additional Clauſe be added for ſecuring the Continuance of the Univerſities and Colledges of this Kingdom, and thereupon an Amendment being made in thir Terms; That the Univerſities and Colledges of this Kingdom, *viz.* Of St. *Andrews*, *Glaſgow*, *Aberdeen* and *Edinburgh*, as now eſtabliſhed by Law, ſhall continue within this Kingdom for ever: After ſome Debate thereupon, the Vote was put, *Approve of the Clauſe as amended, or not*; and it carried *Approve*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Tueſday* next at ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry, Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk* Regiſter, *Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to Print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tueſday 12. *November* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THe following Addreſſes were given in and read; *viz*, Addreſs of the Magiſtrats, Town-Council, Merchants, Deacons of Crafts and other Inhabitants within the Burgh of *Crail* ſubſcribing the ſame, Addreſs of Heretors and Commons in the Paroch of *Eaſter-Munkland* ſubſcribers of the ſame; Addreſs of Heretors and Commoners in the Paroch of *Shotts* ſubſcriving the ſame; Addreſs of Heretors and Commoners in the Paroch of *Dalſerf* ſubſcriving the ſame, Addreſs of Heretors and Commoners in the Paroch of *Stenhouſe* ſubſcribers of the ſame; Addreſs of a Body of People in the South and Weſtern Shires, ſubſcribed by Mr. *John Hepburn* and other ſeven perſons; and an Addreſs of the Magiſtrats, Town-Council and others Inhabitants of the Burgh of *Kirkcudbright* ſubſcribers of the ſame; All againſt allowing an Union with *England* in the terms of the Articles.

Thereafter the Parliament proceeded to the further Conſideration of the Act for ſecurity of the True *Proteſtant Religion*, & Government of the Church as by Law eſtabliſhed within this Kingdom, and the Fourth Clauſe thereof again read, whereupon it was moved, that a Clauſe ſhould be added in thir terms, '*And* that they ſhall be capable of any Office Civil or Military, 'and to receive any Grant, Gift or Right, and to have Command or Place 'of Truſt from and under the Sovereign within any Part of *Great-Britain*: And after Debate thereupon, it was put to the Vote, *Add the above* Clauſe, *or not*; and it carried *Not*. And the Clauſe as it ſtood in the Draught of the Act agreed to.

Then the Fifth Clauſe of the Act was alſo read, and agreed to with ſome Amendments.

And the next Clauſe being again read, and amended, was likewiſe agreed to.

Whereupon the whole Act was again read, as alſo the laſt Repreſentation and Petition of the Commiſſion of the General Aſſembly of the Church, and a Vote was thereupon ſtated, *Approve the Act, or not.*

But before voting, the Lord *Beilhaven* gave in a Proteſtation in thir terms, 'That he did proteſt in his own Name and in Name of all thoſe who 'ſhall adhere to him; That this Act is no valid Security to the Church of '*Scotland* as it is now eſtabliſhed by Law, in caſe of an Incorporating Uni'on, and that the Church of *Scotland* can have no real and ſolid Security by 'any manner of Union, by which the *Claim of Right* is unhinged, our 'Parliament Incorporated, and our diſtinct Sovereignity and Independency 'cy intirely aboliſhed ; which being read, he took Inſtruments thereupon : And the Duke of *Hamilton*, the Duke of *Athole*, the Marqueſs of *Annandale*, the Earl of *Errol*, the Earl *Mariſchal*, the Earl of *Wigtoun*, the Earl of *Selkirk*, the Earl of *Kincardine*, the Viſcounts of *Stormount* and *Kilſyth*, the Lord *Oliphant*, the Lord *Blantyre*, the Lord *Colvill*, the Lord *Kinnaird*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, *John Brisbane* younger of *Biſhoptoun*, Mr *William Cochran* of *Kelmaronnock*, Sir *Humphray Colquhoun* of *Luſs*, *Robert Rollo* of *Powhouſe*, *John Murray* of *Strowan*, *Francis* Moliſon, Mr. *John Caruthers*, and *George Home* adhered thereto.

Moved, that all the Members ſhould be marked as they ſhould approve the *Act* or not, and alſo as they ſhould adhere to the Proteſt, and that the Liſt of the Members as they ſhall Vote *pro* or *con* ſhall be Printed, and agreed to.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve*, or *Not* ; and it carried *Approve*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Thurſday* next at Ten of the Clock.

B*Y Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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IN *the Parliament* Tueſday *Twelfth of* November 1706, *a Vote was ſtated in thir Terms*, Approve of the ACT for Security of the True Proteſtant Religion and Government of the Church, as by Law eſtabliſhed within this Kingdom, or Not; *and it carried Approve; and the Liſt of the Members as they Voted* Pro *or* Con (*Ordered to be Printed*) *is as follows.*

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor
Marq: of Montroſe P.S.C.
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*

Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Morroun
Buchan
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh

Haddingtoun
Wemyſs
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Northesk
Bellcarras
F rfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Marchmont
Hyndfoord
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry

Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcount
Garnock
Lords
Forbes
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs of Arniſtoun.
Sir Robert Dickſon of Inveraſk
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Eliot of *Minto*
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Will. Moriſon of Preſtoungrange
Alexander Horſeburgh of that ilk
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
John *Sinclair* yor. of Stevenſon
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *Douglaſs* of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William *Dalrymple* of Glenmuir

Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
Mr. John Montgomerie of Wrae
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant yor. of that Ilk
John Forbes of Culloden
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor. of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
*W*illiam Maxwell of Cardineſs
Alexander Mckye of Palgoun
Mr. James Dunbar yor. of Hemprigs
*A*lexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw
Mr. Alexr. Abercrombie of Tillibody.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
John Scrimſour
John Allardice
Lieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John *Muir*
Sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Walter Scot
Sir Andrew Home

William Coltran
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
George Brodie
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie

George Allardyce
William Alvis
John Urquhart
Sir James *Steuart*
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *Dalrymple*
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* I. P. D. P.

NOES

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marqueſs of Annandale

Earls
Erroll
Mariſchal

Wigtoun
Strathmore
Selkirk
Kincardin
Viſcounts
Stormont
Kilſyth.

Lords
Saltoun
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Beilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
John Brisbane younger of Biſhoptoun
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe

John Murray of Strowan
David Bethun of Balfour
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeilor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie of *Phinhaven*
James Ogilvie younger of Boynd
Mr. George Mackenzie of *I*nchcoulter

Of the Burrows.

Francis Moliſon
Robert Kellie

Mr. John Lyon
Mr John Carruthers

George Home

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Thurſday 14. *November* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THe Lord Chancellor moved, that albeit he had no Opportunity to vote for approving the Act *For ſecurity of the true Proteſtant Religion and Government of the Church of* Scotland *as now by Law eſtabliſhed*; yet he deſired his Name to be Recorded as an Approver, and to be Printed among thoſe who voted *Approve*: And the ſame was agreed to.

Then the following Addreſſes were given in and read, *viz.* Addreſs of Parochiners of *Covingtoun*, *Carſtairs* and *Symontoun* ſubſcribing the ſamen; Addreſs of Parochiners of *Libertoun*, *Quothquan* and *Dunſyre* ſubſcribers of the ſame; Addreſs of the Magiſtrats, Gentlemen, Heretors, Burgeſſes and Inhabitants within the Burgh and Paroch of *Rutherglen* ſubſcribing the ſame; Addreſs of the Parochiners of *Carnwath* ſubſcribers of the ſame; And an Addreſs of Barons, Heretors and Free-holders within the Sheriffdom of *Lanerk* ſubſcribers of the ſamen: All againſt allowing an Union with *England* in the terms of the Articles.

Act in favours of the Incorporations of *Edinburgh* for a *Maiden Hoſpital*, Read, and a firſt Reading ordered to be marked thereon.

Thereafter the 2*d.* Article of the Union again read, whereupon a Motion was made in thir terms; 'That before any Vote upon the 2*d.* Article of Uni- 'on, it be inſert in the Minuts as a Preliminary, That the agreeing to the 2*d.* 'Article of the Treaty in relation to the Succeſſion to the Crown of '*Great-Britain*, ſhall not be binding, or have any effect, unleſs Terms and 'Conditions of an Union of the two Kingdoms be finally adjuſted and con- 'cluded, and an Act paſs thereupon in this Parliament; And that the 'saids Terms and Conditions be alſo agreed to, and Ratified by an Act of 'the Parliament of *England*.

As alſo a *Reſolve* was given in, in thir Terms, *viz.* 'Reſolved, that 'this Houſe will proceed to the Conſideration of the Articles in the Treaty 'which relate to Trade and Taxes before any of the other Articles; which 'being read,

After ſome debate thereupon, the Vote was ſtated *Proceed to the Conſideration of the ſecond Article of the Union in the terms of the above* Motion, or *proceed to the Conſideration of the Fourth and other Articles of the Treaty which relate to* Trade *and* Taxes.

And before voting, it was agreed, That the Members ſhould be marked as they vote, and that the Liſt of their Names ſhould be printed accordingly.

Then the Vote was put, *Proceed to the ſecond Article of Union in the terms of the Preliminary* Motion, or *proceed to the Fourth and other Articles;* and it carried *proceed to the ſecond Article of Union.*

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtate of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk* Regiſter, *Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſ Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume t Print the ſame.*

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IN *the Parliament, the Fourteenth of* November 1706, *A Vote was ſtated in thir Terms*, Proceed to the Confid the Second *Article* of Union in the Terms of the following Motion, *viz. That the Agreeing to the Second Article of ty, in relation to the Succeſſion to the Crown of* Great Britain, *ſhall not be binding, or have any effect, unleſs Terms tions of an Union of the two Kingdoms be finally adjuſted and concluded, and an Act paſs thereupon in this Parliament,and th Terms and Conditions be alſo agreed to, and ratified by an Act of the Parliament of* England; Or proceed *to the Confidera Fourth and other Articles of Treaty, which relate to Trade and Taxes*: And it carried, *Proceed to the Second Article of Uni* the Liſt of the *Members* as they voted *pro* or *con*, (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

Proceed to the Second.

Of the Nobility.

The Lord chancellor
Marquis of Montroſe *P. S. C.*
Duke of Argile
Marquis of Tweeddale
Marquis of Lothian.

Earls.

Mar *sec.*
Lowdoun *ec.*
Crawfurd
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Eglintoun
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Weymes
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Northesk
Belcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Marchmount
Hyndford
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dep.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.

Lords.

Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice Clerk.

Of The Barons.

Robert Dundaſs *of* Arniſtoun.
Sir Robert Dickſon *of* Inverask.
William Nisbet *of* Dirletoun.
John Cockburn *Younger of* Ormiſtoun.
Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk.
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſnock.
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead.
Sir Gilbert Elliot *of* Minto.
Archibald Dowglaſs *of* Cavers
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhill
Mr. John Pringle *of* Haining
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
Alexander Horſeburgh *of* That Ilk
George Baillie *of* Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun *of* Weſterhall
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
Mr. William Steuart *of* Caſtleſtewart
Mr. John Steuart *of* Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan.
Mr. William Dalrymple *of* Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
John Hadden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
William Seton *Younger of* Pitmedden
Alexander Grant *Younger of* That Ilk
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
James Halyburton *of* Pitcur
Alexander Abercrombie *of* Glaſſoch
William Maxwel *of* Cardineſs
Mr. Alexander Abercrombie *of* Tillibodie
John Bruce *of* Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows

sir Patrick Johnſton
John Scrimſeor
Lieutenant Collonel John Areskine
John Mure
James Scot
Patrick Bruce
sir John Areskine
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Walter Scot
sir Andrew Home
William Coltran
Sir Patrick Halkett
sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Captain Daniel Macleod
sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alves
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Rorie Mackenzie
sir James Steuart
Daniel Campbell
sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Dowglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

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Proceed to the Fourth.

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marquis of Annandale

Earls.

Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Wigtoun
Strathmore
Galloway
Lawderdale
Selkirk.

Viſcounts.

Stormount
Kilſyth.

Lords.

Saltoun
Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart *of* Carnwath
sir James Fowlis *of* Collingtoun
sir John Lawder *of* Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
Sir Patrick Home *of* Rentoun
William Baillie *of* Lamingtoun
John Sinclair *Younger of* Stevenſon
John Sharp *of* Hodam
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon *of* Iſle
John Brisbane *Younger of* Biſhoptoun
Mr. William Cochran *of* Kilmaronock
sir Humphrey Colquhoun *of* Luſs
sir John Houſton *of* That Ilk
John Grahame *of* Killairn
Robert Rollo *of* Powhouſe
Thomas Sharp *of* Houſtoun
John Murray *of* Strowan
sir David Ramſay *of* Balmain
Alexander Gordon *of* Pitlurg
James More *of* Stonywood
John Forbes of Culloden
Major Henry Balfour of Dun
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeiller
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchter
Mr. James Carnagie *of* Phinhaven
David Grahame *Younger of* Fintrie
James Ogilvie *Younger of* Boyn
Alexander Mackgie *of* Palgown
James Sinclair *of* Stempſter
Mr. James Dunbar *Younger of*
sir Henry Innes *of* That Ilk
Mr. George Mackenzie *of* Inchco

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
John Allardyce
Walter Steuart
Hugh Montgomerie
Alexander Edgar
John Black
James Oſwald
Sir John Anſtruther
Robert Johnſton
Alexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
George Smith
Robert Scot
Colin Campbell
Robert Kellie
John Hutcheſon
Mr. William Sutherland
Archibald Sheilds
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dowgal St
George Brodie
George Spence
sir Robert Anſtruther
Mr. William
Mr. John Carr
George Home
John Bayne
John Urquhart
Mr. Robert F

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Numb. 21.

MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Friday 15 November 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

REpreſentation and Petition of the Commiſſion of the General Aſſembly of this Church, Repreſenting the Increaſe of Popery, Prophanity and other Irregularities; and craving the ſame may be reſtrained, and that the Succeſſion to the Crown may be Eſtabliſhed in the Proteſtant Line, Read; and remitted to the Committe for Examining the Calculation of the Equivalent, to conſider of proper Methods for ſuppreſſing Popery, Prophanity and other Irregularities, and for Execution of the Laws already made; and to conſider what Laws may be further neceſſary for the effectual ſuppreſſing thereof, and preventing the ſame.

Then the following Addreſſes were given in and read, *viz.* Addreſs of Merchants and Trades of the City of *Glaſgow*, ſubſcribers of the ſame; Addreſs of Feuars, Maſters of Families, and other Inhabitants of *Gorbels*, and Mure thereof, ſubſcribing the ſame; Addreſs of the Parochioners of *Biggar*, ſubſcribers of the ſame; And two ſeveral Addreſſes of Barrons, Heretors and Freeholders of the Shire of *Lanerk*, ſubſcribing the ſame, all againſt allowing an Union with *England* in the Terms of the Articles.

Thereafter the ſecond Article of Union was again Read, with the Preliminary Motion mentioned in the former Days Minuts.

Whereupon it was Moved, That the Parliament do proceed to ſettle the Succeſſion upon Regulations and Limitations in the Terms of the Reſolve given in and narrated in the Minuts of the Fourth of *November* inſtant, and not in the Terms of the ſecond Article of Union.

Moved alſo, To Addreſs Her Majeſty, and to lay before Her the Condition of the Nation, and the great Averſion in many Perſons to an Incorporating Union with *England*, and to acquaint Her Majeſty of the Inclinations and Willingneſs to ſettle the Succeſſion in the Proteſtant Line upon Limitations, and in order thereto, that ſome Receſs be granted.

And after Debate upon theſe ſeveral Motions, a Vote was propoſed, *Approve of the ſecond Article of Union in the Terms of the preliminary Motion inſert in the former Days Minuts, or not.*

And after ſome furder Debate, There was a ſecond State of a Vote offered in theſe Terms, *Addreſs or not.*

And after ſome Reaſoning, which of the two ſhould be the State of the Vote, it was put to the Vote, *Whether firſt or ſecond*, and it carried firſt.

But it being Moved, That ſome further Reaſoning ſhould be allowed before the Vote were ſtated for approving the ſecond Article of Union; after ſome Debate thereupon, it was agreed, That the *Engliſh* Acts of Parliament mentioned in the ſecond Article of Union be Read, and that immediately thereafter without further Debate, a Vote ſhould be ſtated, Proceed to call the Vote for approving the ſecond Article of Union, or Delay, and if it carried Proceed, That the Vote immediately thereafter, without any interveening Debate be put, *Approve* of the ſecond Article of Union in the Terms of the preliminary Motion mentioned in the laſt Days Minuts, or not.

And accordingly the Acts of the *Engliſh* Parliament mentioned in the ſecond Article of Union were Read.

Thereafter the Vote was put, proceed to call the Vote for approving the ſaid ſecond Article of Union, or delay, and it carried proceed.

Then the Vote was put, approve the ſecond Article of Union in the Terms of the preliminary Motion inſert in the laſt Days Minuts, Yea, or Not.

But before Voting the Earl *Mariſchal* gave in the following Proteſt, whereby he did proteſt for himſelf, and all thoſe who ſhall adhere to this Proteſtation. " That no *Perſon* can be deſigned a Succeſſor to the Crown of this Realm, after the Deceaſe of Her Majeſty (whom GOD long preſerve) and failzieing Heirs of Her Body, who is Succeſſour to the Crown of *England*; Unleſs that in this preſent Seſſion of Parliament, or any other Seſſion of this or any enſuing *Parliament* during Her Majeſties Reign, There be ſuch Conditions of Government Settled and Enacted, as may ſecure the Honour and Soveraignity of this Crown and Kingdom, the Freedom, Frequency, and Power of Parliament, the Religion, Liberty, and Trade of the Nation, from *Engliſh* or any Forreign Influence; Which being Read, he took Inſtruments thereupon, and the Dukes of *Hamilton* and *Athole*, the Earls of *Errol*, *Mariſchal*, *Wigton* and *Strathmore*, The Viſcounts of *Stormont* and *Kilſyth*, The Lords *Salton*, *Sempil*, *Oliphant*, *Balmerino*, Blantyre, *Barganie*, *Colvil* and *Kinnaird*, *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Salton*, Mr. *Alexander Ferguſon* of *Iſle*, *John Brisbain* Younger of *Biſhoptoun*, Mr. *William Cochran* of *Kilmaronock*, *John Graham* of *Killairn*, *James Graham* of *Bucklyvie*, *Robert Rollo* of *Powhouſe*, *John Murray* of *Strowan*, *James* More of *Stonywood*, Mr. *Thomas Hope* of *Rankeilor*, Mr. *Patrick Lyon* of *Auchterhouſe*, Mr. *James Carnagie* of *Phinhaven*, *David Grahame* younger *of Fintrie*, *James Ogilvie* younger of *Boyn*, *James Sinclair* of *Stempſter*, Mr. *George Mackenzie* of *Inchcoulter*, *Alexander* Edgar, *James Oſwald*, *Alexander Duff*, *Francis Moliſon*, *George Smith*, *Robert Scot*, *Robert* Kellie, *John Hutchiſon*, *Archibald Sheills*, Mr. *John Lyon*, Mr. *John Caruthers*, *George Home*, *John Baine*, and Mr. *Robert Fraſer* adhered thereto.

And it was agreed, That the Members ſhall be marked as they ſhall adhere to the Proteſt ; and alſo as they ſhall Vote Approve or not, and that the Liſt of the Members Names as they ſhall Vote *pro* or *con*, be Printed.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve* or *not*, and it carried *Approve*.

And the Lord High Chancellor was allowed to have his Name Printed and Recorded as an Approver ; As alſo, to be Recorded and Printed amongſt thoſe who Voted Proceed to the ſecond Article the laſt *Sederunt*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Monday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

JA: MURRAY *Cls. Reg.*

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IN *the Parliament the Fifteenth of* November 1706, *a Vote was ſtated,* Approve of the Second Article of Union in the Terms of the Preliminary Motion in the preceeding days Minuts, *viz. That the Agreeing to the ſecond Article of the Treaty, in relation to the Succeſſion to the Crown of* Great-Britain, *ſhall not be binding, or have any effect, unleſs Terms and Conditions of an Union of the two Kingdoms be finally adjuſted and concluded, and an Act paſs thereupon in this Parliament, and that the ſaid Terms and Conditions be alſo agreed to, and ratified by an Act of the Parliament of* England; Yea or not, and it carried *Approve*; And the *Liſt* of the Members as they Voted, *Pro* or *Con* (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor allowed to be Printed amongſt the Approvers by ſpecial Order of Parliament.
Marq: of Montroſe P.S.C.
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian
Marqueſs of Annandale.
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Buchan
Glencairn
Eglintoun
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Wemyſs
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Northesk
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Marchmont
Hyndfoord
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcount
Garnock
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs of Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon of Inveraſk
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Eliot of Minto
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Will. Morieſon of Preſtoungrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *Douglaſs* of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William *Dalrymple* of Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that *Ilk*
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant yor. of that Ilk
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor. of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
Alexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
John Scrimſour
Lieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
Hugh Montgomery
John *Muir*
James Scot
Patrick Bruce
Sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
George Monro
VValter Scot
Sir Andrew Home
William Coltran
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alvis
Mr. James Bethun
John Urquhart
Sir James *Steuart*
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *Dalrymple*
Mr. Charles Campbell

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* I: P: D: P.

NOE'S

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Earls
Errol
Mariſchal
Wigtoun
Strathmore
Galloway
Viſcounts
Stormont
Kilſyth.
Lords
Saltoun
Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart of Carnwath
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Alexander Horſeburgh of that Ilk
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
John Brisbane younger of Biſhoptoun
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
*S*ir John Houſtoun of that Ilk
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
John Grahame of Killairn
James Grahame of Bucklivie
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe
John Murray of Strowan
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
James More of Stonniewood
David Bethun of Balfour
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeilor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie of Phinhaven
*D*avid Grahame younger of Fintrie
James Ogilvie younger of Boyn
*J*ames Sinclair of *S*tempſter
Sir Henry Innes younger of that Ilk
Mr. George Mackenzie of *I*nchcoulter.

Of the Burrows.

Alexander Edgar
John Black
James Oſwald
*A*lexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
George Smith
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
John Hutcheſon
Archibald Sheils
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dougal Steuart
Mr. John Caruthers
George Home
John Bayne
Mr. Robert Frazer

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Munday 18 *November* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THen the following Addreſſes were given in and Read, *viz.* Addreſs of Barons, Freeholders and others within the Stewartry of *Kirkcudbright* Subſcriving the ſame; Addreſs of Heretors and Houſeholders of the Paroch of *Crawford* Subſcrivers of the ſame, Addreſs of Heretors and Houſeholders of the Paroch of *Crawford-John* Subſcriving the ſame; Addreſs of the Magiſtrats, Dean of Guild, Theſaurer, Guild Council, Deacons of Trades, Members of the Town Council of the Burgh of *Couper* in *Fife* and others, Gildry, Trades and Burgeſſes of the ſaid Burgh, Subſcrivers of the ſame; Addreſs of the Presbytery of *Lanerk* Subſcriving the ſame; And an Addreſs of Heretors, Elders and Maſters of Families in the Town and out Paroch of *Lanerk* Subſcrivers of the ſame, all againſt an Union with *England*, in the terms of the Articles.

Thereafter the third Article of Union was again Read.

Whereupon it was moved that the agreeing to the third Article of the Treaty, in relation to the Parliament of *Great-Britain* ſhall not be binding or have any effect, unleſs Terms and Conditions of an Union of the two Kingdoms, and particularly the Conſtitution of the ſaid Parliament be finally adjuſted and concluded, and an Act paſs thereupon in this preſent Parliament, and that the ſaids terms and conditions be alſo agreed to, and ratified by an Act of the Parliament of *England*, the Conſtitution of the ſaid Parliament of *Great-Britain* being left intire, until the Parliament come upon the 22 Article.

Moved alſo to proceed to the conſideration of the fourth and other Articles of Union before the third.

And after ſome reaſoning thereupon, it was put to the Vote, proceed to the Conſideration of the third Article in the terms of the above motion] relating thereto, or proceed to the fourth Article; and it carried, proceed to the third.

And accordingly the Parliament proceeded to the conſideration of the third Article; And after long debate thereupon, a Vote was ſtated, Approve of the third Article in the terms of the above Motion relating thereto, *yea* or *not*.

But before Voting, the Marquiſs of *Annandale* gave in a Proteſt, upon the Foot of his former Reſolve preſented to this Houſe, and contained in the Minut of the 4th of *November* inſtant, and craved that the Narrative thereof might be prefixed thereto, and which Narrative and Proteſt, is as follows, *viz.* ‘ Whereas it evidently appears, ſince the Printing, Publiſhing and Conſidering of the *Articles* of Treaty now before this Houſe, This Nation, ſeems Generally averſe to this Incorporating Union, in the terms now before us, as ſubverſive of the Sovereignty, Fundamental Conſtitution and Claim of Right of this Kingdom, and as threatning Ruine to this Church as by Law Eſtabliſhed.

‘ *And* ſince it is plain, that if an Union were agreed to in thoſe terms by this *Parliament*, and accepted of by the *Parliament* of *England*, it would in no ſort anſwer the peaceable and friendly ends propoſed by an Union; But would on the contrair create ſuch diſmal *Diſtractions* and *Animoſities* amongſt our ſelves, and ſuch jealouſies and miſtakes betwixt us and our Neighbours, as would involve theſe Nations into fatal Breaches and Confuſions.

‘ Therefore I do *Proteſt* for my ſelf, and in Name of all thoſe who ſhall adhere to this my *Proteſtation*, That an Incorporating Union of the Crown and Kingdom of *Scotland*, with the Crown and Kingdom of *England*, and that both Nations ſhall be Repreſented by one and the ſame Parliament, as contained in the Articles of the Treaty of Union, is contrair to the Honour, Intereſt, Fundamental Laws and Conſtitutions of this Kingdom, is a giving up of the Sovereignity, the Birth-Right of the Peers, the Rights and Priviledges of the Barrons and Burrows, and is contrair to the *Claim of Right*, Property and Liberty of the Subjects, and third Act of Her Majeſties Parliament 1703, by which it is declared high Treaſon in any of the Subjects of this Kingdom, to Quarrel, or endeavour by Writting, Malicious and adviſed Speaking, or other open Act or Deed, to alter or innovat the *Claim of Right*, or any Article thereof: As alſo, That the Subjects of this Kingdom, by ſurrendering their Parliaments and Sovereignity, are deprived of all Security, both with reſpect to ſuch Rights, as are by the intended Treaty ſtipulated and agreed, and with reſpect to ſuch other Rights, both Eccleſiaſtick and Civil, as are by the ſame Treaty pretended to be reſerved to them. And therefore I do Proteſt, that this ſhall not prejudge the Beeing of future *Scots* Parliaments and Conventions within the Kingdom of *Scotland* at no time coming.

After Reading whereof, he took Inſtruments thereupon, and it was agreed, that at calling the Rolls, the Adherers to the above Proteſt ſhould be ſo marked; And alſo, that the hail Members be marked as they ſhall Vote, *Approve* or *Not*, and that a Liſt of their Names, as they ſhall Vote *Pro* or *Con*, ſhall be printed. And the Lord Chancellor was allowed to have his Name Printed and Recorded as an Approver.

Then the Vote was put, Approve of the third Article in the Terms of the Motion relating thereto, or not, and it carried Approve.

And the Dukes of *Hamilton* and *Athole*, the Earls of *Errol*, *Mariſchal*, *Strathmore* and *Selkirk*, The Viſcounts of *Stormont* and *Kilſyth*, The Lords *Salton*, *Sempil*, *Oliphant*, *Balmerino*, *Blantyre*, *Barganie*, *Beilhaven*, *Colvil* and *Kinnaird*, *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath*, Sir *James Foulis* of *Collingtoun*, Sir *John Lawder* of *Fountainhall*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, Sir *Robert Sinclair* of *Longformacus*, Mr. *Alexander Ferguſon* of *Iſle*, *John Brisbain* Younger of *Biſhoptoun*, Mr. *William Cochran* of *Kilmaronock*, *James Grahame* of *Bucklyvie*, *Robert Rollo* of *Powhouſe*, *John Murray* of *Strowan*, *James More* of *Stonywood*, *John Forbes* of *Colloden*, *David Beaton* of *Balfour*, Major *Henry* Balfour of *Dunboog*, Mr. *Thomas Hope* of *Rankeilor*, Mr. *Patrick Lyon* of *Auchterhouſe*, Mr. *James Carnagie* of *Phinhaven*, *David Grahame* younger *of Fintrie*, *James Ogilvie* younger of *Boyn*, *Alexander Mackye* of *Palgown*, Mr. *George Macknezie* of *Inchcoulter*, *Alexander Robertſon*, *Walter Stuart*, *Alexander Watſon*, *Alexander* Edgar, *James Oſwald*, *Francis Molliſon*, *Robet Scot*, *Robert* Kellie, *John Hutchiſon*, *Archibald Sheills*, Mr. *John Lyon*, Mr. *John Caruthers*, *George Home*, *John Bayne*, and Mr. *Robert Frazer* adhered to the Proteſt given in by the Marquiſs of *Annandale*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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This belongs to MINUTS 22.

IN *the Parliament, the* 18 November 1706, *A Vote was ſtated,* Approve of the Third Article of Union in thir Terms, *viz. That the Agreeing to the ſaid Third Article of the Treaty, in relation to the Parliament* of Great-Britain, *ſhall not be binding, or have any effect, unleſs Terms and Conditions of an Union of the two Kingdoms, and particularly the Conſtitution of the ſaid Parliament be finally adjuſted and concluded, and an Act paſs thereupon in this Parliament, and that the ſaids Terms and Conditions be alſo agreed to, and ratified by an Act of the Parliament of* England, *The Conſtitution of the Parliament of* Great-Britain *being left intire, until the Parliament come upon the* 22 *Article,* Yea, *or* Not: *And it carried,* Approve. And the liſt of the Members as they voted *pro* or *con* (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor allowed to be printed amongſt the Approvers by ſpecial Order of parliament.
Marquis of Montroſe *P. S. C.*
Duke of Argyll
Marquis of Tweeddale
Marquis of Lothian.
Earls.
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Weymes
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Northesk
Belcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmount
Hyndford
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dep.*
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcount
Garnock.
Lords.
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Cranſtoun
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord JuſticeClerk.

Of the Barons.

Sir Robert Dickſon *of* Inverask
William Nisbet *of* Dirletoun
John Cockburn *Younger of* Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſnock
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead
Archibald Dowglaſs *of* Cavers
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhil
Mr. John Pringle *of* Haining
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun *of* Weſterhall
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
Mr. William Steuart *of* Caſtleſtewart
Mr. John Steuart *of* Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple *of* Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
Sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
Mr. John Montgomery *of* Wrae
John Halden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
William Seton *Younger of* Pitmedden
Alexander Grant *Younger of* That Ilk
Hugh Roſs *of* Kilravock
Sir Kenneth *M*ackenzie
Mr. John Campbell *of* Manmore
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
James Halyburton *of* Pitcur
Alexander Abercrombie *of* Glaſſoch
Alexander Douglaſs *of* Egliſhaw
John Bruce *of* Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſton
John *Scrimſour*
Lieut. Coll: Jo. Areskine
John Muir
James *Scot*
Patrick Bruce
Sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James *Spittle*
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halkett
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Captain Daniel Macleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alves
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Rorie *M*ackenzie
John Urquhart
Sir James Steuart
Daniel *Campbell*
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles *Campbell.*

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NOES

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marquis of Annandale.
Earls
Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Eglingtoun
Wigtoun
Strathmore
Galloway
Selkirk.
Viſcounts.
Stormount
Kilſyth.
Lords.
Saltoun
Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
*B*eilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart *of* Carnwath
Sir James Fowlis *of* Collingtoun
Sir John Lawder *of Fountainhall*
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
Sir Robeet Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home *of* Rentoun
Sir Gilbert Eliot *of* Minto
William *Baillie of* Lamingtoun
John *Sinclair Younger of Stevenſon*
John Sharp of Hoddam
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon *of* Iſle
Sir Hugh Cathcart *of* Carletoun
John Brisbane *Younger of* Biſhoptoun
Mr. William Cochran *of* Kilmaronock
Sir John Houſton *of* That Ilk
James *Grahame of* Bucklivie
Robert Rollo *of* Powhouſe
John Murray *of* Strowan
James More *of* Stonywood
John Forbes of Culloden
David Bethun *of* Balfowr
Major Henry Balfour of Dunboig
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeillor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie *of* Phinhaven
David Grahame *Younger of F*intrie
James Ogilvie *Younger of* Boyn
William Maxwel *of* Cardineſs
Alexander Mckye *of* Palgown
James Sinclair *of* Stempſter
Sir Henry Innes *Younger of* That lik
Mr. George Mackenzie *of* Inchcoulter

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
John Allardyce
Walter *S*tuart
Alexander Watſon
Hugh Montgomery
Alexander Edgar
James Oſwald
Robert Johnſtoun
Alexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
VValter Scot
William Coltrain
George Smith
Robert *Scot*
Robert Kellie
John Hutcheſon
Mr. William Sutherland
Archibald Scheilds
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dowgal Steuart
*G*eorge Brodie
*G*eorge Spence
Sir Robert Anſtruther
*Mr. W*illiam Johnſton
Mr. John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayn
Mr. Robert Fraſer.

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tueſday 19. *November* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read* ;

ACT in favours of the Incorporations of *Edinburgh* for a Maiden Hoſpital, read for a ſecond time, and Voted and Approven.

The Lord Chancellor acquainted the Parliament, that laſt night his Grace Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, in his return to the *Palace*, was inſulted by a number of People of the meaneſt degree with Stones, which was an high affront both to Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and to the Parliament; And therefore moved that the Parliament may give the neceſſary orders, not only to find out ſuch as have been guilty as Actors or Abettors therein, but to prevent the like in time coming; and after ſome reaſoning on the ſaid Repreſentation and Motion:

It was agreed, to Remit to the Committee nominat for examining the Calculation of the Equivalent, to enquire into the matter of this inſult; And to endeavour to find out the Actors and Abettors if any be, with power to the ſaid Committee to promiſe Indemnities and Rewards for diſcoveries, and to Seize and Impriſon any Perſon whom they ſhall have ground to ſuſpect to be guilty, as *Actors* or *Abettors*, and to call for the Magiſtrats and Neighbours of *Edinburgh* for Information, and to Report to the *Parliament*, what Information and Diſcovery they ſhall make of the ſaid Inſult, or of any former. *As* alſo to Report their opinion, what meaſures may be proper for preventing the like in time coming, and the Committee appointed to meet the firſt interval day of *Parliament* at nine of the Clock.

The Parliament did likeways recommend to the Lord high Conſtable to proſecute forthwith theſe Perſons who were Impriſoned on account of a former Tumult, and ordained the Magiſtrats of *Edinburgh* to furniſh what probation they can, to the Fiſcal of the Conſtables Court, againſt ſuch as were ſo Impriſoned.

Addreſs of the Baillies, Counſellours and Citizens of St. *Andrews*, Subſcrivers of the ſame, againſt an Union with *England*, in the terms of the Articles given in and Read.

Petition for the Laird of *Grant* Elder, craving a remit to the Lords of Seſſion, in place of the Commiſſion for Valuation of Teinds, for determining an Action to be raiſed by him, in relation to the Teinds of *Pluſcardin* again Read, and no Anſwer being given in thereto. As alſo the Miniſter and Heretors of *Elgin* being publickly called, The Parliament remitted the determination of the above Action, to the Commiſſion for Plantation of Kirks and Valuation of Teinds, in caſe any ſuch Commiſſion ſhould be named, and failzieing the ſaid nomination, to the Lords of Seſſion.

Petition Sir *Patrick Home* of *Rentoun* againſt the Earl of *Home*, craving a Remit to the Lords of Seſſion, for determining a Reduction upon a Proteſt for Remeed of Law at his inſtance, of a Decreet obtained againſt him by the Earl of *Home* Read, and the Earl of *Home* ordained to ſee & anſwer the ſame.

Thereafter it was moved, that the Parliament proceed to the Fourth Article of Union.

Moved alſo, That before proceeding to the conſideration of the Fourth Article, a Clauſe be added to the Third Article in thir terms, *And that the ſaid* Parliament *of* Great-Brittain *ſhall meet and ſit once in three years at leaſt, in that part of* Great-Brittain *now called* Scotland.

And after ſome debate thereupon, the conſideration of the ſaid Additional Clauſe delayed till the Parliament come to the Twenty ſecond Article.

Then the Fourth Article of Union was Read, and after ſome diſcourſe thereupon, the further conſideration thereof was delayed till the next Sederunt of Parliament, and the conſideration thereof to be then reſumed previous to all other buſineſs.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Thurſday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.

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MINUTS
Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Thurſday 21. November 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

ADdreſs of Heretors, Burgeſſes, Miniſter and other Inhabitants in the Town of *Paſley*, Subſcribers of the ſame, againſt an Union with *England* in the terms of the Articles; given in and Read.

The Fourth Article of Union again Read.

Whereupon it was moved to take the ſeveral Branches of Trade, to be communicat, into conſideration, that it may thereby appear how far the communication of Trade ſhall be advantageous; And after reaſoning thereupon,

The Vote was ſtated, Approve of the Fourth Article, Reſerving the conſideration of the ſeveral Branches of Trade, till the Parliament come to the ſubſequent Articles, *yea* or *not*.

And it was agreed that the Members ſhall be marked as they ſhall Vote approve or not, and that the Liſt of their names as they ſhall Vote *pro* or *con* be Recorded and Printed.

Then the Vote was put *Approve or not*, and it carried *Approve*.

Thereafter the Fifth Article of Union was Read, whereupon a Propoſal was given in for Explaining and Inlarging the ſame in theſe terms, 'That all Ships or Veſſels belonging to Her Majeſties Subjects of *Scotland* at the time of ratifying the Treaty of Union of the two Kingdoms in the Parliament of *Scotland*, though Foreign Built, ſhall be deemed and paſs as Ships of the Build of *Great-Brittain*, the Owner or where there are more Owners, one or moe of the Owners within 12 Months after the Union making Oath, That at the time of ratifying the Treaty of Union in the Parliament of *Scotland*, the ſame did in haill or in part belong to him or them, or to ſome other Subject or Subjects in *Scotland*, to be particularly named with the place of their reſpective Abodes, and that the ſame doth then, at the time of the ſaid Depoſition, wholly belong to him or them, and that no Foreigner directly or indirectly hath any Share, Part or Intereſt therein.

Which being Read, it was moved, that ſix Months more time be added to the time allowed by the Propoſal, for purchaſing Ships or Veſſels: And after ſome Reaſoning thereupon, the further conſideration thereof was delayed till next Sederunt of Parliament, to be then Reſumed, previous to all other Buſineſs.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till Saturday next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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IN *the Parliament, the* 21. November 1706, *A Vote was ſtated in thir terms,* Approve of the Fourth *Article* of Union, *Reſerving the conſideration of the ſeveral Branches of Trade, till the Parliament come to the ſubſequent Articles,* Yea *or* Not; *And it carried,* Approve. *And* the Liſt of the *Members* as they voted *pro* or *con*, (ordered to be *Printed*) is as follows.

APPROVERS.

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor allow-
ed to be Printed amongſt
the Approvers by ſpecial
Order of Parliament.
Marquis of Montroſe *P. S. C.*
Duke of Argile
Marquis of Tweeddale
Marquis of Lothian.
Earls.
Mar *sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Buchan
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Galloway
Weymes
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Northesk
Belcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmount
Hyndford
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dep.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcount
Garnock.
Lords.
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Cranſtoun
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs *of* Arniſtoun.
Sir Robert Dickſon *of* Inverask
George Lockhart *of* Carnwath
Sir John Lawder *of Fountainhall*
William Nisbet *of* Dirletoun
John Cockburn *Younger of* Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſnock
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Elliot *of* Minto
Archibald Dowglaſs *of Cavers*
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhill
Mr John Pringle *of* Haining
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
Alexander Horſeburgh *of* That Ilk
William *Baillie of* Lamingtoun
George Baillie *of* Jerviſwood
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
Mr. William Steuart *of* Caſtleſtewart
Mr. John Steuart *of Sorbie*
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple *of* Glenmuir
John Brisbane *Younger of Biſhoptoun*
Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
sir John Houſton *of* That Ilk
Sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
Thomas Sharp *of* Houſtoun
Mr. John Montgomery *of* Wrae
John Hadden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
Sir David Ramſay *of* Balmain
Alexander Gordon *of* Pitlurg
William Seton *Younger of P*itmedden
James More *of* Stonywood
Alexander Grant *Younger of* That Ilk
Hugh Roſs *of* Kilravock
John Forbes of Culloden
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M^c^leod *of* Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell *of* Manimore
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
Major Henry Balfour of Dumbog
James Halyburton *of Pitcur*
David Grahame *Younger of Fintrie*
Alexander Abercrombie *of G*laſſoch
William Maxwell *of* Cardineſs
James Sinclair *of* Stempſter
sir Henry Innes *Younger of* That Ilk
Alexander Douglaſs *of* Egliſhaw
Mr. Alexander Abercrombie *of* Tillibody.
John Bruce *of* Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows

Sir Patrick Johnſton
Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
John *Scrimſour*
John Allardyce
Lieutenant Collonel John
Areskine
Walter Steuart
Alexander Watſon
Hugh Montgomerie
John Mure
James *Scot*
Patrick Bruce
Sir John Anſtruther
Robert Johnſton
Alexander Duff
Sir John Aresking
James *Spitle*
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
George Monro.
Walter Scot
sir Andrew Home
William Coltran
Sir Peter Halkett
sir James Smollet
Colin *Campbell*
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Archibald Scheilds
Captain Daniel Macleod
sir David Dalrymple
sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
Mr. Dowgal Steuart
John Roſs
George Brodie
George Spenſe
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
sir Robert Anſtruther
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
Mr. William Johnſton
William Alves
George Home
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Rorie *Mackenzie*
John Urquhart
sir James Steuart
Daniel *Campbell*
sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

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NOE'S.

Of the Nobility.

Earls.
Errol
Mariſchal
Wigtoun
Strathmore
Selkirk
Viſcount.
Stormount
Lords.
Semple
Oliphant
Blantyre
Bargany

Of the Barons.

sir James Fowlis *of* Collingtoun
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
sir Hugh Cathcart *of* Carletoun
Mr. William Cochran *of* Kilmaronock
John Murray *of* Strowan
David Bethun *of* Balfower
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
James Ogilvie *Younger of* Boyne

Of the Burrows.

Francis Moliſon

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in *Parliament.*

Saturday 23. November 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THen the following Addreſſes were given in and read, *viz.* Addreſs of Heretors and ſeveral other Perſons in the Barrony Paroch of *Glaſgow*, Subſcribers of the ſame; Addreſs of Heretors, Magiſtrats, Town Council and other Inhabitants within the Town and Paroch of *Culroſs* in *Perth* Shire, and Heretors, Elders and others Inhabitants within the Parochines of *Saline*, *Carnock* and *Torie* in *Fife* Shire, ſubſcribing the ſame; Addreſs of the Provoſt, Baillies, Town Council and other Inhabitants of the Burgh of *Stirling* ſubſcribing the ſame; Addreſs of Barrons, Freeholders and others within the Stewartry of *Annandale* ſubſcribing the ſame; And Addreſs of the Magiſtrats, Town Council, Gild-brethren, Deacons of Crafts, and other Burgeſſes Tradeſmen and Inhabitants within the Burgh of *Innerkeithing*, ſubſcribers of the ſame; all againſt an Union with *England* in the Terms of the Articles.

Thereafter the Fifth Article of Union again Read, with the Propoſal for Amending, Explaining and Inlarging the ſame, inſert in the former Days Minuts, and altered thus *viz.* ‘ That all Ships or Veſſels belonging to Her
‘ Majeſties Subjects of *Scotland* at the time of Ratifying the Treaty of Union
‘ of the two Kingdoms, in the Parliament of *Scotland*, tho Foreign built,
‘ be deemed and paſs as Ships of the Build of *Great Britain*, the Owners, or
‘ where there are more Owners, one or more of the Owners within twelve
‘ Months after the firſt day of *May* next, making Oath that at the time of
‘ Ratifying the Treaty of Union in the Parliament of *Scotland*, the ſame did
‘ in hail or in part belong to him or them or to ſome other Subject or Subjects
‘ of *Scotland*, to be particularly Named, with the place of their reſpective
‘ Abodes, and that the ſame doth then, at the time of the ſaid *Depoſition*,
‘ wholly belong to him or them, and that no Foreigner directly or indirectly
‘ hath any ſhare, part or intereſt therein.

And after ſome Reaſoning thereon, there was a ſecond Propoſal given in for the amending the Article in theſe Terms, *That all Ships and Veſſels belonging to Her Majeſties Subjects of* Scotland *at the time of Ratifying the Treaty of Union of the two Kingdoms, in the Parliaments of both Kingdoms.*

And after ſome debate the Vote was Stated, Approve of the firſt Paragraph of the Fifth Article, with the firſt Amendment or ſecond; And it carried Approve with the firſt Amendment.

Thereafter the reſt of the ſaid Fifth Article of Union was Read,& a Propoſal given in for adding aClauſe in theſe terms,‘ That for the ſpace of ſeven
‘ years from & after the Concluding theTreaty of Union in both Kingdoms;
It is expreſly agreed, that none of the Seamen or Mariners Aboard any of
‘ the Ships belonging to the Subjects of that part of United *Brittain*, now
‘ called *Scotland*, ſhall either at Home or Abroad be preſſed from aboard
‘ their ſaid Ships, to ſerve in any of Her Majeſties Ships of War or Friggots;
‘ And in caſe after the ſaid ſeven years, it ſhall happen that there be a Levy
‘ of Seamen in United *Brittain*, for ſerving in the *Brittiſh* Fleet, That the
‘ ſaid part of United *Brittain*, now called *Scotland*, ſhall only be burdened
‘ with ſuch a proportion as our Taxes bear in proportion, to that part of
‘ United *Brittain* now called *England*, but prejudice to the Officers of Her
‘ Majeſties Ships or Fleet to engage as many Voluntar Seamen in their ſer-
‘ vice as they can agree with, in this part of United *Brittain*, and this
‘ Article to be unalterable by any ſubſequent *Brittiſh* Parliament.

Which being Read after ſome reaſoning thereupon, it was put to the Vote, add the ſecond Clauſe or not, and it carried not.

Thereafter the reſt of the ſaid fifth Article being again Read, the Vote was put, Approve thereof or not, and it carried *Approve*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Tueſday* next at ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry, Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk* Regiſter, *Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to Print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tueſday, 26. November, 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read* ;

THen the following Addreſſes were given in and Read, *Viz.* Addreſs of Barons, Freeholders and others within the Sheriffdom of *Roxburgh*, ſubſcribers of the ſame ; Addreſs of the Magiſtrats, Town-Council and other Inhabitants of the Burgh of *Annan*, ſubſcribing the ſame ; Addreſs of the Magiſtrats, Town Council and others Inhabitants of the Burgh of *Lochmabben*, ſubſcribers of the ſame, and an Addreis of the Paroch of *Leſmahago*, ſubſcribers of the ſame, all againſt an Union with *England* in the Terms of the Articles.

Thereafter, an Overture for an Act for Encouraging the Exportation of Victual. Read and Ordered to be Printed.

As alſo, another Overture for an Act for Encouraging the Export of Victual, Fiſhes, Beef and Pork was given in and Ordered to be Printed.

Thereafter, a Petition and Draught of an Act in Favours of the Burgh of *Dundee*, for an Impoſition of Two Pennies *Scots* upon the Pint of all Ale and Beer, Brown and Vended within the Bounds, and for the Ends therein mentioned, both Read, and a firſt Reading Ordered to be Marked on the Act.

As alſo, a Petition of the Magiſtrats, Town-Council and Community of the Burgh of *Aberdeen*, and a Draught of an Act in their Favours, for continuing an Impoſition on Wine and Ale granted to them by a former Act, Read, and a firſt Reading Ordered to be Marked on the *Act*.

As alſo, the following Draughts of Acts were given in and Read, *Viz.* Act in Favours of the Burgh of *Kirkaldie*, Act in Favours of the Town of *Borrowſtounneſs*, Act in Favours of the Burgh of *Dyſert*, Act fn favours of the Burgh of *Burntiſland*, *Act* in favours of the Burgh of St. *Andrews*, *Act* in favours of the Burgh of *Kinghorn*, *Act* in favours of the Burgh of *Elgin*; all for an Impoſition of Two Pennies *Scots* upon the *Pint* of all *Ale* and Beer to be Browen and Vended within the reſpective Bounds, and for the Ends therein mentioned, and a firſt Reading Ordered to be Marked upon each of the ſaids Acts.

Petition for the Lord *Duffus* craving a competent time to enter Heir *cum beneficio inventarii* to his Father, Read, and a Vote being ſtated, *Grant the deſire of the Petition or Not*, it carried *Grant*, and the Petitioner was allowed to enter Heir at any time within ſix Months from this date, conform to an Interloquitor upon the petition.

Petition for the Chancellor, Rector, Principal, Profeſſors and Maſters of the Kings Colledge of *Aberdeen*, craving a Proviſion for a Profeſſor of Mathematicks in the ſaid Colledge, Read; as alſo, an Overture for an Act in their Favours, for a Fourth Part of a Months Ceſs to be a Fund for a Sallary to the ſaid *Profeſſor*, alſo Read, and the Overture Ordered to be Printed.

Petition for *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath* for altering a High-way in order to his incloſing of Ground for a convenient Park, Read, and the deſire thereof granted, and the Petitioner allowed to alter the ſaid way, conform to the Deliverance on the *Petition*.

Then the ſixth Article of Union was Read, and after ſome Reaſoning thereon, there was a Propoſal given in for adding the following Clauſe to the end of the ſixth Article, viz. *Except in ſo far as ſhall be Rectified by this Parliament, upon the Conſideration of the ſubſequent Articles.*

Which being Read and Diſcourſed upon, There was another Propoſal given in for Enlarging and Explaining the ſaid ſixth Article in theſe terms, viz. *And ſeing by the Laws of* England *now ſtanding, there are Rewards granted upon the Exportation of certain kinds of Grain, wherein Oats is not ſpecified, That from and after the Union, when Oats ſhall be at Fifteen ſhillings* per *Quarter, or under, There ſhall be paid two Shillings and ſix Pence for every Quarter of Oat Meal exported in the Terms of the Laws, whereby Rewards are granted for Exportation of other Grains. And in reſpect there is a Duty upon Oats imported into* England, *but no* Duty *upon Oat* Meal, *The importing of which is a prejudice and diſcouragement to* Tillage: *Therefore, That, from and after the Union, the Quarter of Oat Meal be deemed equal to three Quarters of Oats, and pay Duty accordingly, when imported to* Scotland *from any place whatever beyond the Sea*;

Which being likeways read, after ſome further Reaſoning, it was moved, That the Obſervations (in relation to the Ballance of the Trade of this Nation) made by the Council of Trade ſhould be laid before the Parliament.

And after Debate thereupon, the further Conſideration of the ſaid ſixth Article and Motions was delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament, to be then reſumed previous to all other Buſineſs: *And Ordered*, That the Obſervations made by the Council of Trade be then laid before the Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in *P*arliament.

Wedneſday 27. November 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read;*

ADdreſs of Barons, Freeholders and others within the Shire of *Mid-Lothian*, ſubſcribing the ſame, againſt an Union with *England* in the Terms of the Articles, given in and Read.

The Sixth Article of Union again Read, and a Propoſal given in for adding the Word (*Drawbacks*) to both Clauſes of the ſaid Article, which was agreed to.

And the ſaid Article as ſo amended was again Read, as alſo the Propoſal mentioned in the Minuts of the laſt *Sederunt*, in Relation to Oats and Oat-Meal, with the Addition of a further Clauſe, in theſe Terms, *And that the Beer of* Scotland *have the like Rewards and Drawbacks as* Barley.

And it was likeways moved that another Clauſe ſhould be added thereto, allowing the like *Prœmium* or *Drawback* on the Exportation of Oat-Meal, as is allowed on the Exportation of Rye in *England*, and aftet Debate thereupon, It was agreed that the Sixth Article with the Propoſal for Amendments ſhould be Remitted to a Committee,

Thereafter there was a Clauſe offered to be added to the ſaid Sixth Article in theſe Terms, *viz.* 'But *Scotland* for the ſpace of Years after the Firſt Day of *May* next, ſhall be free from, and no ways ſubject to the Prohibition and Reſtrictions made againſt Exporting of Wooll, Skins with Wooll upon them, and Woollen Yarn, which by the Oaths of the Sellers and Buyers ſhall be made appear to be the proper growth and product of *Scotland*, and Spun within the ſame, which ſhall no ways be comprehended under any of the Laws already made in *England* or to be made during the ſpace foreſaid.

As alſo, a Clauſe in theſe Terms, *viz.* 'Excepting and Reſerving the Duties upon Export and Import of ſuch particular Commodities from which any Perſons the Subjects of either Kingdom are ſpecially Liberated and Exempted by their private Rights, which after the Union are to remain ſafe and intire to them in all Reſpects.

And ſicklike, another Clauſe in theſe Terms, 'That after the Union all ſorts of *Scots* Lining, or any kind of Cloth made of Flax or Hemp, be Exported out of the United Kingdom, free of all Cuſtoms or other Impoſitions whatſoever.

And another in theſe Terms, 'That before the Union we may have ſuch a *Drawback* adjuſted as may enable us to Export Beef and Pork and Butter to the Weſt *Indies* and other Foreign Parts which will be a conſiderable Branch of our Trade after the Union.

And likeways another Clauſe in theſe Terms, ‘That from and after the Union all Duties or Bounty Tolls, or other Exactions upon black Cattle, or any other Product of *Scotland*, when carried into *England*, or Product of *England* when carried into *Scotland*, payable either to the publick or private Perſons, ſhall in all time coming be void and null.

And another Clauſe in theſe Terms, ‘That from and after the Union, the Kingdom of *Scotland* ſhall have Liberty for ever to Manufacture Plaiding, Fingrams, Galloway-whites, Sarges, Stockings and all ſorts of Linning, as they have been in uſe to do, conform to the Regulations contained in their own Laws, and to Export the ſame to *England* or Dominions and Plantations thereto belonging, or to any other Place beyond Seas, free of any Duty or Impoſition whatſomever to be laid thereon, but in caſe any of the Subjects of that part of United *Brittain* now called *Scotland*, ſhall Export any other ſort of Woollen Manufactory than what is above-mentioned, They are to be lyable to the Regulations and Taxes of *England* impoſed before the Union, or to be impoſed by the *Brittiſh* Parliament after the Union.

And it was agreed that all the Clauſes above inſert ſhould be likeways Remitted to a Committee.

Whereupon it was Moved, That the Sixth Article and Propoſals and Additional Clauſes relating thereto ſhould be Remitted to the Committee for examining the Calculation of the *Equivalent*, which was agreed to.

Thereafter it was alſo moved that a further Number of the Members of each State ſhould be added to the ſaid Committee, and thereupon a Vote was put, *Add or not*, and it carried *add*.

Then it was moved, that two of each State be the Number to be added, and likeways moved, that the Number of four of each State be added, and after ſome Reaſoning, it was put to the Vote *Two* or *Four*, and it carried *Two*, and the next *ſederunt* of Parliament appointed for choiſing the Additional Members.

Then the Seventh Article of Union was Read, and the Reaſoning thereupon delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament, to be then proceeded upon previous to all other Buſineſs, after choiſing of the additional Members for the Committee.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till the Morrow at ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Thurſday, 28. *November*, 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read* ;

THen the following Addreſſes were given in and Read, *viz.* Addreſs of Heretors and others Inhabitants of the Paroch of St. *Ninians* ſubſcribers of the ſame, and Addreſs of the Magiſtrats, Town-Council, Burgeſſes and other Inhabitants of the Burgh of *Dumbar* ſubſcribing the ſame; both againſt an Union with *England* in the Terms of the Articles.

Thereafter the Parliament (conform to the Minuts of the laſt *Sederunt*) proceeded to Elect the additional Members to the Committee to whom the Sixth Article and Clauſes and Propoſals relative thereto are Remitted, and the three Eſtates having ſeparated to their uſual Places, They returned and reported their reſpective Elections of the ſaid additional Members as follows, *viz.* Of the Nobility, the Earls of *Haddingtoun* and *Cromarty* ; Of the Commiſſioners for Shires, Sir *Gilbert Eliot* of *Minto* and Sir *Thomas Burnet* of *Leyes* ; Of the Commiſſioners for Burghs, Sir *John Areskine* and Sir *Peter Halket*, and the Committee was appointed to meet in the Inner-Seſſion houſe to Morrow at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon.

Then the Seventh Article of Union was again Read, and after ſome reaſoning, a Propoſal was made, for an Explanation and Addition, whereby this Nation would be ſecured againſt paying more Exciſe for the Two Penny Ale than they now do, in theſe Terms, 'That the Thirty Four Gallons *Engliſh* Barrel of Beer or Ale, amounting to Twelve Gallons *Scots* preſent Meaſure, ſold in *Scotland* by the Brewer at Nine ſhillings ſix pence *Sterling*, excluding all Duties, and Retailed including Duties, and the Retailers Profite at Two Pence the *Scots* Pint, or Eight part of the *Scots* Gallon, Be not after the Union lyable on account of the preſent Exciſe upon Exciſeable Liquors in *England*, To any higher Impoſition than Two ſhilling *Sterling* upon the foreſaid Thirty Four Gallons *Engliſh* Barrel, being Twelve Gallons the preſent *Scots* Meaſure.

And another Clauſe being likeways offered in theſe terms, *And it is hereby ſpecially provided, that the Two Penny Ale or Beer of* Scotland *ſhall be only charged with the ſame Exciſe as the ſmall Beer of* England.

After ſome Debate, the Vote was ſtated Approve of the Seventh Article as to the Exciſe of Ale and Beer with the Explanation, as contained in the Firſt or Second Clauſes above inſert, and thereupon the ſaid Clauſes being Read.

It was agreed, that the Members ſhall be marked as they Vote, and that a Liſt of their Names as they Vote Firſt or Second ſhall be Printed, whereupon the Vote was put Approve of the ſeventh Article as to the Exciſe of Ale and Beer with the Explanation as contained in the ſaid *Firſt* or *ſecond* Clauſes, and it carried *Firſt*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk* Regiſter, *Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to Print the ſame.*

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This belongs to MINUTS 28.

IN *the Parliament, the* 28 November 1706 *a Vote was ſtated, Approve of the Seventh Article as to the Exciſe of Ale and Beer, with the Explanation as contained in the Firſt Clauſe inſerted in the Minuts of this date, viz.* That the Thirty Four Gallons *Engliſh* Barrel of Beer or Ale, amounting to Twelve Gallons *Scots* preſent Meaſure, ſold in *Scotland* by the Brewar at Nine ſhilling ſix pennies *ſterling*, excluding all Duties, and Retailed including Duties, and the Retailers Profit at Two pence the *Scots* Pint, or Eight part of the *Scots* Gallon, Be not after the Union lyable on account of the preſent Exciſes upon exciſeable Liquors in *England*, to any higher Impoſition than Two ſhilling *ſterling* upon the foreſaid Thirty four Gallons *Engliſh* Barrel, being Twelve Gallons the preſent *Scots* Meaſure, *Or in the Terms of the ſecond viz.* And it is hereby ſpecially provided, That the Two penny Ale and Beer of *Scotland* ſhall be only charged with the ſame Exciſe as the ſmall Beer of *England*; *And the Liſt of the Members as they Voted* Pro *or* Con (*Ordered to be Printed*) *is as follows*.

FIRST.

Of the Nobility.

Marquis of Montroſe *P. S. C.*
Duke of Argile
Marquis of Tweeddale
Marquis of Lothian.

Earls.

Mar *sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Lauderdale
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Northesk
Belcarras
Forfar
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmount
Hyndford
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dep.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.

Lords.

Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Cranſtoun
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs *of* Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon *of* Inverask
William Nisbet *of* Dirletoun
John Cockburn *Younger of* Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſnock
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Elliot *of* Minto
Archibald Dowglaſs *of* Cavers
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhill
Mr John Pringle *of* Haining
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
Alexander Horſeburgh *of* That Ilk
George Baillie *of* Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun *of* Weſterhall
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
Mr. William Steuart *of* Caſtleſtewart
Mr. John Steuart *of* Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple *of* Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
Sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
Mr. John Montgomery *of* Wrae
John Hadden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
William Seton *Younger of* Pitmedden
Alexander Grant *Younger of* That Ilk
Hugh Roſs *of* Kilravock
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. John Campbell *of* Mammore
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
James Halyburton *of* Pitcur
Alexander Abercrombie *of* Glaſſoch
William Maxwell *of* Cardineſs
Mr. James Dunbar *Younger of* Hemprigs
Alexander Douglaſs *of* Egliſhaw
John Bruce *of* Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows

Sir Patrick Johnſton.
John Scrimſour
John Allardyce
Lieutenant Collonel John Areskine
John Mure
James Scot
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halkett
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Captain Daniel Macleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
William Alves
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Rorie Mackenzie
John Urquhart
Sir James Steuart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur *Seafield* Cancellar. I. P. D. P.

SECOND.

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marquis of Annandale.

Earls.

Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Eglintoun
Wigtoun
Strathmore
Galloway
Selkirk.

Viſcounts.

Stormount
Kilſyth.

Lords.

Saltoun
Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart *of* Carnwath
Sir James Fowlis *of* Collingtoun
Sir John Lawder *of* Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair *of* Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home *of* Rentoun
William Baillie *of* Lamingtoun
John Sinclair *Younger of* Stevenſon
John Sharp *of* Hoddam
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon *of* Iſle
Sir Hugh Cathcart *of* Carletoun
John Brisbane *Younger of* Biſhoptoun
Mr. William Cochran *of* Kilmaronock
John Grahame *of* Killairn
James Graham *of* Bucklivie
Thomas Sharp *of* Houſtoun
Sir Patrick Murray *of* Auchtertyre
John Murray *of* Strowan
Sir David Ramſay *of* Balmain
Alexander Gordon *of* Pitlurg
John Udney *of* That Ilk
James More *of* Stonywood
John Forbes of Culloden
David Bethun *of* Balfower
Major Henry Balfour of Dumbog
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeillor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
David Grahame *Younger of* Fintrie
James Ogilvie *Younger of* Boynd
Alexander M kye *of* Palgown
Sir Henry Innes *Younger of* That Ilk
Mr. Alexander Abercrombie *of* Tillibody.

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
Walter Steuart
Alexander Watſon
Hugh Montgomerie
Alexander Edgar
John Black
James Oſwald
Sir John Anſtruther
Robert Johnſton
Alexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
George Monro
Walter Scot
William Coltran
Robert Kellie
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dowgal Steuart
George Brodie
George Spenſe
Sir David Cuninghame
Mr. William Johnſton
Mr. John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayne
Mr. Robert Fraſer.

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Friday 29. November 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

REport of the Members, to whom the Advance made by Mr. *James Anderſon* in the Work Recommended to him by the Parliament, preſented, and Ordered to ly on the Table to be ſeen.

Moved, that the Obſervations made by the Council of Trade in Relation to the Export and Import of this Nation, and a Ballance of Our Trade be laid before the Committee, to whom the ſixth Article of Union is remitted, and the ſame was accordingly ordered; as alſo, the Clerks of the ſaid Council of Trade were ordered to tranſmit to the ſaid Committee all Obſervations, Papers and Records relating thereto.

Then the Lord Chancellor acquainted the Parliament, *That the Secret Council at their laſt Meeting, had under their Conſideration ſeveral Accounts of Irregular and* Tumultuary *Meetings, by ſome People of the common and meaneſt Degree in Arms, and of Abuſes committed by them at* Glaſgow, *Stewartry of* Kirkcudbright *and* Dumfreis, *and ſeveral places of* Lanerk *Shire, and that there were Papers dropt, inviting* People *to take up Armes, and to provide Ammunition and Proviſions in order to their Marching to diſturb the Parliament, all which he was directed by the Right Honourable the Lords of Her Majeſties Secret Council to lay before the Parliament, to the effect propper Methods might be reſolved upon for preventing the evil Conſequences of ſuch Practices*; and thereafter preſented a Letter from the Magiſtrats of *Dumfreis* to Her Majeſties Advocat, *Bearing an account of the Abuſes and Tumultuary* Meetings *in that Place, with a Declaration emitted by thoſe who met, which was affixt on the* Mercat *Croſs of* Dumfreis, and both were Read.

Whereupon a Draught of a Proclamation to be emitted by the Parliament *againſt all Tumultuary and Irregular Meetings and Convocations of the Leidges* was preſented and Read, and after ſome Diſcourſe thereupon, it being objected, *That it did not appear that there was a particular Information of any Tumultuary* Meetings *or Irregular Convocations in any other part of the Shire of* Lanerk *than at* Glaſgow.

Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner was thereupon pleaſed to notifie to the Parliament, *That he had Information not only from* Glaſgow *and* Dumfreis, *but alſo from ſeveral places in* Lanerk *Shire of Tumultuary and Irregular* Meetings *of men under Arms, and of their giving out and publiſhing their deſign of marching to diſturb the Parliament.*

Thereafter the Draught of the Proclamation was again Read, and after Reaſoning thereupon, and ſome Amendments, a Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the Proclamation or not.*

And before Voting, it was agreed, that the Members ſhall be marked as they Vote, and that the Liſt of their Names as they Vote *pro* or *con* ſhall be Printed and Recorded, and the Lord Chancellor allowed to have his Name Printed and Recorded as an Approver, and the Proclamation as Amended being again Read over,

The Vote was put *Approve or not*, and it carried *Approve*.

Thereafter the Draught of an Act ſuſpending the effect of that Clauſe in the Act of Security *for arming and exerciſing the ſenſible men*, paſt in the ſecond Seſſion of this current Parliament, and that during this Seſſion of Parliament allannerly, Read and a firſt Reading ordered to be marked thereon.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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IN *the Parliament the Twentyninth of* November 1706,*a Vote was ſtated in theſe Terms, Approve of the Proclamation againſt allTumultuary and Irregular Meetings and Convocation of the Leidges,* Yea, *or* Not, *And it Carried Approve, And the Liſt of the Members as they Voted Pro, or Con (Orderd to be Printed) is as follows,*

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor *allowed to be Printed by ſpecial Order of rPa liament.*
Marq:of MontroſeP.S.C.
Duke of Argyle
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian
Marqueſs of Annandale.
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Buchan
Eglintoun
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Galloway
Findlater
Northeſque
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmont
Hyndfoord
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcounts
Garnock.
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Balmerino
Cranſtoun
Frazer
Banff
Elibank
Beilhaven
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons

Robert Dundaſs of Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
George Lockhart of Carnwath
Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
Sir Alexander Campbell ofCeſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Eliot of *Minto*
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Mr. John Pringle of Haining
Will: Morieſon of Preſtoungrange
Alexander Horſeburgh of that Ilk
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
ir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William Douglaſs of Dornock
Mr.William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr.William Dalrymple of Glenmuir
Sir Hugh Cathcart of Carletoun
Sir John Houſtoun of that Ilk
Sir Robert *P*ollock of that Ilk
Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
Mr John Montgomery of Wrae
John Hadden of Glenagies
Sir Patrick Murray of Auchtertyre
Mungo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Sir *D*avid Ramſay of Balmain
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
John Udney of that Ilk
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant younger of that Ilk
Hugh Roſs of Kilravock
John Forbes of Culloden
Mr. Æneas Mcleod of Catboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja.Campbell younger of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
*D*avid Beathun of Balfour
Major Henry Balfour of Dunboog
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeilor
James Halyburton of Pitcurr
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
James Sinclair of Stempſter
Mr James *D*umbar yor. of Hemprigs
Sir Henry Innes younger of that Ilk
*A*lexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw
Mr. Alexander Abercombie of Tillibody
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
Robert Inglis
John Scrymſour
John Allardice
*L*ieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
Alexander Watſon
Hugh Montgomery
John *Muir*
James Scot
Patrick Bruce
Sir John Anſtruther
*A*lexander Duff
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
George Monro
Sir Andrew Home
William Coltran
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
Mr. Dougal Steuart
John Roſs
George Brodie
George Spence
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
William Alvis
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Roderick Mackenzie
John Urquhart
Sir James *S*teuart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Frazer
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *D*alrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* I: P: D: P.

NOE'S

Of the Nobility.

The Earl of Selkrig
The Viſcount of Stormount
The Lord Oliphant

Of the Barons

Alexander Mcgie of Palgoun

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Numb. 30.

MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in *P*arliament.

Saturday 30. *November* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

ADdreſs of the Magiſtrats and Town-Council of the Burgh of *Air*, for ſuch Rectifications of the Articles of Union, and ſuch Eaſes of Duties and publick Taxes, as are moſt agreeable to the Circumſtances of this Nation, given in and Read.

Addreſs of Heretors and others, Inhabitants of the Town and Paroch of *Bruntiſland*, ſubſcribers of the ſame, againſt an Union with *England* in the Terms of the Articles given in and Read.

Thereafter the Act ſuſpending the effect of a Clauſe as to Arming and Exerciſing the Country in the Act of Security, paſt in the ſecond Seſſion of this current Parliament again Read, and after ſome Reaſoning thereupon, and ſome Amendments, the Act as amended was again Read.

Then the Vote was put *Approve of the Act or Not*, and it carried *Approve*, and was toutched with the Scepter by Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner in the uſual manner, under the Title of *Act againſt all Muſters and Rendevouzes during the preſent Seſſion of Parliament.*

And the ſaid Act and the Proclamation mentioned in the Minuts of the laſt *Sederunt* were ordered to be furthwith Publiſhed and Printed.

Thereafter the Seventh Article of Union was again Read, and after Reaſoning upon that part thereof not formerly approven, it was put to the Vote *Approve of the reſt of the ſaid Seventh Article or not*, and it carried *Approve*.

A Print was then given in, Intituled, *An account of the Burning of the Articles of Union at* Dumfreis, bearing the Declaration, Read, and affixt at the Mercat-croſs thereof by the Tumult aſſembled on that occaſion; and it being moved, *That Inquiry ſhall be made who has been the Printer and Ingiver of the ſaid ſcurrilous Paper, and that the Print be Burnt by the hand of the Hangman.*

It was Remitted to the Committee to whom the Sixth Article of Union is Remitted, to call for the Magiſtrats of *Edinburgh* and to take Tryal and make Inquiry anent the Printer and Ingiver of the ſaid Paper.

Ordered alſo, That the ſaid ſcurrillous Print be Burn'd by the Hand of the Common Hangman at the Mercat-croſs of *Edinburgh* upon *Monday* next betwixt Eleven and Twelve of the Clock, and the Magiſtrats of *Edinburgh* appointed to ſee the Order punctually executed.

Then the Eight Article of Union was Read, and Remitted to the Committee to whom the Sixth Article is remitted.

Act for Adjourning the Seſſion till the firſt Day of *January* next, Read, and a Clauſe was offered to be ſubjoyned thereto, in theſe Terms; *And further, Her Majeſty with Advice and Conſent foreſaid Statutes and Ordains, That the Seſſion which is Appointed to Riſe the laſt Day of* February *next, be continued to ſit, for Adminiſtration of Juſtice to the Leidges, from the ſaid day to the laſt day of* March 1707 *years* incluſive.

Which being Read, the Conſideration of the ſaid Clauſe delayed till the Act be again Read, and a firſt Reading was Ordered to be marked on the Act.

Thereafter it was intimat to all ſuch Members as gave in any Overtures or Clauſes (relating to the Sixth Article of Union) to attend the Committee next *Sederunt.*

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Tueſday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk* Regiſter, *Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to Print the ſame.*

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Numb. 31

MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in *Parliament.*

Tueſday 3. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

THen the following Addreſſes were given in and Read, *viz.* Addreſs of the Merchants, Deacons Trades and other Inhabitants of the Burgh of *Air* ſubſcribers of the ſame; Addreſs of Barons, Freeholders, Heretors and others of the Four Parochins of *Glenkenns* in the Shire of *Galloway* ſubſcribing the ſame, and Addreſs of the Magiſtrats, Town-Council, Burgeſſes and Inhabitants of the Burgh of *New Galloway* ſubſcribers of the ſame, all againſt an Union with *England* in the Terms of the Articles.

Thereafter the *Act adjourning the Seſſion till the firſt of* January *next* was again Read, as alſo the Clauſe continuing the ſitting thereof from the laſt of *February* till the laſt day of *March* next *incluſive,* inſert in the Minuts of the laſt *Sederunt,* and after debate, it was put to the Vote, *Add the Clauſe or not,* and it carried *Add.*

And the Clauſe being added, The Vote was put, *Approve the Act or not,* and it carried *Approve.*

The Earl of *Aberdeen* his abſence excuſed by his Grace Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, in reſpect of his Indiſpoſition.

Agreed that the Act in favours of the Burgh of *Dundee* for an Impoſition of Two Pennies upon the Pint of Ale and Beer to be Brown and Vended within the Bounds, and for the Uſes therein mentioned, be taken under Conſideration the firſt of all other private Buſineſs.

Ordered, That the Council of Trade do meet and give in their Obſervations as to Export and *I*mport, and Ballance of Trade, to the Committee to whom the Sixth and Eighth Articles are Remitted, and that betwixt and the next *Sederunt* of the ſaid Committee.

Then the Ninth Article of Union was Read, and after Reaſoning thereon it was moved, That Six Months Ceſs ſhall be the *Quota* of the Tax to be Impoſed on *Scotland,* in place of Eight Moneths agreed to by the ſaid Article, and after debate thereupon,

A Vote was ſtated *Approve of the Ninth Article or not.*

And thereupon a ſecond ſtate of a Vote was offered *viz. Whether Six Months Ceſs or Eight Months Ceſs ſhould be the Quota of the Tax to be charged on* Scotland.

Then the Vote was put, ‘Which of the two ſhould be the ſtate of the ‘Vote, Firſt or Second, and it carried Firſt.

Whereupon it was put to the Vote, ‘Approve of the ſaid Ninth Article ‘or not, and it carried Approve.

Thereafter the Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth Articles of Union were all ſeverally Read, and were ſeparatly Voted and Approven.

The Fourteenth Article of Union Read, and the Conſideration thereof delayed till next *Sederunt*, to be then proceeded upon, previous to all other *Buſineſs*.

‘Act adjourning the Seſſion to the firſt day of *January* next and continu‘ing the ſitting thereof from the laſt of *February* till the laſt day of *March* ‘next *incluſive*, Toutched with the Scepter by Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner in the uſual manner.

The Committee appointed to meet to morrow at Nine of the Clock in the uſual place.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her *Majeſties* high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Thurſday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to Print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Thurſday 5. December 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read*;

AGreed, That the Report anent the Advance made by Mr. *James Anderſon* in the Work Recommended to him by the Parliament, be taken under Conſideration when the Parliament ſhall proceed upon privat Acts.

The Parliament was then acquainted, That the Report of the Committee anent the Calculation of the Equivalent remitted to them was ready, and in the Clerks Hands, and that all Perſons concerned may ſee the ſame and grounds whereupon it proceeds, before the Report be brought in to the Parliament.

Thereafter the Fourteenth Article of Union was again Read, and an Amendment and Addition thereto was offered in theſe Terms, *And that the part of the United Kingdom, now called* Scotland, *ſhall not in all time coming be charged with any Malt Tax, or any other Cuſtoms, Exciſes, Taxes or any other Burdens or Duties than theſe conſented to in this Treaty.*

And after ſome Reaſoning upon the firſt part of the ſaid Clauſe in Relation to the Malt-Tax, It was propoſed, That the Amendment ſhould be in theſe Terms, with this further Proviſion, *That any Malt to be made and conſumed within that part of the United Kingdom, now called* Scotland, *ſhall not be charged with any Impoſition on Malt during this preſent War.*

And after ſome further Debate, The Vote was ſtated, *Whether the Exemption from any Impoſition on Malt ſhall be Temporary or Perpetual.*

Then the Vote was put, *Whether the Exemption ſhall be Temporary or Perpetual,* and it carried *Temporary.*

Thereafter it was propoſed, That the Exemption ſhall be during this preſent War.

It was alſo propoſed, That the Exemption ſhall be for a longer Time.

And after Debate thereon, The Vote was ſtated, *Whether the Exemption from any Impoſition on Malt ſhall be during this preſent War, or for a longer time,* and it carried *during this preſent War.*

Then the Article as Amended was again Read, and the further Conſideration thereof delayed till next *Sederunt* of Parliament, to be then proceeded upon previous to all other Buſineſs.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her* Majeſties *High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her* Majeſties *Printer, to print theſe* Minuts *of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Friday 6. December 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

THe Fourteenth Article of Union as amended again Read, as alſo the Clauſe offered to be added to the ſaid Article, inſert in the Minuts of the laſt *Sederunt*, as to the Exemption from any other Cuſtoms, Exciſes, Taxes or any other Burdens or Duties, than thoſe conſented to in this Treaty.

There were two States of a Vote propoſed, the firſt in theſe Terms, *Approve of the Article as amended or not*, and the Second in theſe Terms, *Approve or Amend.*

And before Voting it was agreed, That the Members ſhall be marked as they ſhall Vote in both Votes, and that the Liſt of their Names ſhall be Recorded and Printed accordingly.

Then it was put to the Vote, which of the two ſhall be the ſtate of the Vote, Firſt or Second, and it carried *First.*

Thereafter the Vote was put, *Approve of the Article as amended or not*, and it carried *Approve.*

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to *Morrow* at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray of Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and* Succeſſors *of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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I N *the Parliament, the* 6 *of* December 1706, *Two ſtates of a Vote being propoſed, The firſt in theſe terms,* Approve of the Fourteenth Article of Union as amended, *or* not ; *and the ſecond in theſe terms,* Approve or amend. *Whereupon the Vote was put,* Whether firſt or ſecond ſhould be the ſtate of the Vote, *and it carrid* Firſt ; *And the Liſt of the Members as they Voted* Firſt *or* Second (*Ordered to be Printed*) *is as follows.*

FIRST.

Of the Nobility.

Marquis of Montroſe *P. S. C.*
Duke of Argile
Marquis of Tweeddale
Marquis of Lothian.

Earls.

Mar *sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Belcarras
Forfar
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmount
Hyndford
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dep.*
Hoptoun
De lorain
Ilay.

Lords.

Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord JuſticeClerk.

Of the Barons.

Sir Robert Dickſon *of* Inverask
William Nisbet *of* Dirletoun
John Cockburn *Younger of* Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſnock
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead
Archibald Dowglaſs *of* Cavers
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhill
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
Alexander Horſeburgh *of* That Ilk
George Baillie *of* Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun *of* Weſterhall
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
Mr. William Steuart *of* Caſtleſtewart
Mr. John Steuart *of* Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple *of* Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
Sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
Mr. John Montgomery *of* Wrae
John Hadden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
William Seton *Younger of* Pitmedden
Alexander Grant *Younger of* That Ilk
Hugh Roſs *of* Kilravock
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M'leod *of* Cadbolt
Mr. John Campbell *of* Manmore
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
James Halyburton *of* Pitcur
Alexander Abercrombie *of* Glaſſoch
Alexander Douglaſs *of* Egliſhaw
John Bruce *of* Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows

Sir Patrick Johnſton
John Scrimſour
Lieutenant Collonel John Areskine
John Mure
Sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halkett
sir James smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William sutherland
Captain Daniel Macleod
sir David Dalrymple
sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardice
William Alves
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Roric Mackenzie
sir James steuart
Daniel Campbell
sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur *Seafield* cancellar. I. P. D. P.

SECOND.

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marquis of Annandale.

Earls.

Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Eglintoun
Wigtoun
Strathmore
Galloway
Selkirk.

Viſcounts.

Stormount
Kilſyth.

Lords.

Saltoun
Semple
Balmerino
Blantyre
Cranſtoun
Bargany
*B*eilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs *of* Arniſtoun
George Lockhart *of* arnwath
sir James Fowlis *of* Collingtoun
Sir John Lawder *of* Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair *of* Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home *of* Rentoun
Sir Gilbert Eliot *of* Minto
William *B*aillie *of* Lamingtoun
John Sinclair *Younger of* Stevenſon
John sharp *of* Hoddam
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon *of* Iſle
sir Hugh Cathcart *of* Carletoun
John Brisbane *Younger of* Biſhoptoun
Mr. William Cochran *of* Kilmaronock
sir Humphrey Colquhoun *of* Luſs
sir John Houſton *of* That Ilk
John Grahame *o* Killairn
Thomas harp *of* Houſtoun
sir Patrick Murray *of* Auchtertyre
John Murray *of* trowan
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
sir David Ramſay *of* Balmain
Alexander Gordon *of* Pitlurg
John Udney *of* That Ilk
James More *of* stonywood
John Forbes of Culloden
David Bethun *of* Balfower
Major Henry Balfour of Dumbeg
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeillor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie *of* Phinhaven
David Grahame *Younger of* Fintrie
James Ogilvie *Younger of* Boynd
William Maxwell *of* Cardineſs
James Sinclair *of* Stempſter
Mr. James Dunbar *Younger of* Hempriggs
Mr. Alexander Abercrombie *of* Tillibodys
Mr. George Mackenzie *of* Inchcoulter.

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
John Allardyce
Walter teuart
Alexander Watſon
Hugh Montgomerie
Alexander Edgar
John Black
James Oſwald
James Scot
Alexander Duff.
Francis Moliſon
George Monro
Walter Scot
William Coltran
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
Archibald cheilds
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dowgal Steuart
George Brodie
George Spenſe
Mr. William Johnſton
Mr. John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayne
John Urquhart
Mr. Robert Fraſer.

Sic ſubſcribitur *seafield* cancellar. I. P. D. P.

IN *the Parliament the* 6 *of* December 1706, *a Vote was ſtated, Approve of the Fourteenth Article as amended thus, viz.* That that part of the United Kingdom now called *Scotland,* ſhall be exeemed from any Impoſition on Malt during this preſent War, *Yea* or Not, *And it Carried Approve ; And the Liſt of the Members as they Voted,* Approve *or* not (*Ordered to be Printed*) *is as follows,*

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

Marq: of Montroſe P.S.C.
Duke of Argyle
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh

Haddingtoun
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmont
Hyndfoord
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun

Delorain
Ilay.
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Frazer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons

Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Will: Morieſon of Preſtoungrange
Alexander Horſeburgh of that Ilk
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William Douglaſs of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple of Glenmuir

Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
Mr John Montgomery of Wrae
John Hadden of Glenagies
Mungo Grahame of Gorthy
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant younger of that Ilk
Hugh Roſs of Kilravock
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M'leod of Catboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell younger of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of Pitcurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
Alexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

John Scrymſour
Lieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John Muir
Sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home

Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie

Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Roderick Mackenzie
Sir James Steuart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland

NOE'S

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marqueſs of Annandale.
Earls
Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Wigtoun

Strathmore
Galloway
Selkrig
Viſcounts
Stormont
Kilſyth.
Lords
Saltoun

Semple
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons

George Lockhart of Carnwath
Sir James Foulis of Colingtoun
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
William Baillie of Lamingtoun
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
Jo: Brisbane younger of Biſhoptoun
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
Sir John Houſtoun of that Ilk
Sir Patrick Murray of Auchtertyre
John Murray of Strowan
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg

John Udney of that Ilk
James More of Stoniewood
John Forbes of Culloden
David Beathun of Balfour
Major Henry Balfour of Dunboog
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeilor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie of Phinhaven
David Grahame youuger of Fintrie
James Ogilvie younger of Boyn
Mr. Alexander Abercombie of Tillibody
Mr. George Mackenzie of Inchcoulter:

Of the Burrows.

Alexander Robertſon
Walter Steuart
Alexander Watſon
Alexander Edgar
John Black
James Oſwald

Francis Moliſon
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
Archibald Sheils
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dougal Steuart

George Spence
Mr. William Johnſtoun
Mr. John Caruthers
George Home
John Bayne

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MINUTS
Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Saturday 7. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read*;

THE fifteenth Article of Union read, and thereafter the firſt Clauſe or Paragraph thereof again read; As alſo the Report brought in from the Committee for examining the Calculation of the Equivalent being as follows; The Committee of Parliament to whom the conſidering of the Calculation of the Equivalent was remitted, having conſidered the Report made to them by Dr. *James Gregory* Profeſſor of the Mathematicks in the Colledge of *Edinburgh*, and the Report made by Doctor *Thomas Bowar* Profeſſor of the Mathematicks in the Colledge of *Aberdeen*, of their ſeveral and reſpective Examinations of the Calcul, and Grounds thereof, whereupon the Commiſſioners in treating the Article for eſtabliſhing the Equivalent did proceed, and alſo having conſidered the Report of the Subcommittee thereanent, they find that the Computation of the Equivalent mentioned in the Article is juſt, and that the Calcul is exact, and well founded in the terms, and in manner expreſſed in the ſaid Article.

Whereupon it was propoſed to delay the Conſideration of the ſaid fifteenth Article until Reports be brought in, in Relation to the Sixth and Eighth Articles from the Committee to whom the ſaids Articles are remitted.

And after Debate thereon, it was agreed, that the proceeding on the fifteenth Article ſhall not be underſtood to be any Determination of the Sixth or Eighth Articles that ſtand committed; But that the Reaſoning and Voting on the Sixth and Eighth Articles ſhall be intire.

Then a ſtate of a Vote was offered in theſe terms, *Approve of the firſt Paragraph of the fifteenth Article*, or *Not*;

But it being moved, that the Parliament firſt conſider, whether we ſhall be concerned in the payment of the *Engliſh* Debts: A ſecond ſtate was thereupon offered, Whether we ſhall ingage in the payment of the Debts of *England*, *Yea*, or *Not*.

And after ſome Reaſoning thereon, it was put to the Vote, which of the two ſhould be the ſtate of the Vote, *Firſt*, or *Second*.

And before voting, it was agreed, That the Members Votes ſhall be marked, and that a *Liſt* of their Names as they ſhall vote ſhall be Printed and Recorded.

And the Lord *Beilhaven* gave in a Proteſt, as follows: *I do proteſt in my own Name, and in the name of all thoſe who do adhere to this my Proteſt, that the Voting and agreeing to the firſt Clauſe of the fifteenth Article of the Treaty of Union, doth no ways infer any manner of Conſent or Agreement, that* Scotland *ſhould be lyable to the* Engliſh *Debt in general, but that it may be lawful to object againſt any Branch of the ſaid Debt not already determined:* And he took Inſtruments thereupon, and the Duke of *Hamilton*, the Earl of *Selkirk*, the Lord *Saltoun*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, Sir *Humphrey Colquhoun* of *Luſs*, *David Bethun* of *Balfour*, Major *Henry Balfour* of *Dunboig*, Mr. *Thomas Hope* of *Rankeilor*, *Alexander Watſon*, and Mr. *Robert Frazer*, adhered thereto.

Then the Vote was put, *Firſt*, or *Second*, and it carryed *Firſt*.

Thereafter it was put to the Vote, *Approve the firſt Clauſe or Paragraph of the fifteenth Article*, or *not*, and it carryed *Approve*.

Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner and the Eſtates of Parliament, did recommend the Perſons imployed in the Calculation of the Equivalent by the Committee to whom the Examining thereof was remitted, to the Lords of Her Majeſties Theſaury for a Gratification for their Pains.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Tueſday* next at Ten a clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe* Minuts *of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

JA. MURRAY, *Cls. Reg.*

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IN *the Parliament the* 7 *of* December 1706, *a Vote was ſtated,* Approve of the firſt Clauſe or Paragraph of the Fifteenth Article of Union Yea or Not, *and it carried Approve; And the Liſt of the Members as they Voted approve or not* (*Ordered to be Printed*) *is as follows.*

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

Marquis of Montroſe *P. S. C*
Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Argile
Marquis of Tweeddale
Marquis of Lothian.
Earls.
Mar *sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Buchan
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Selkirk
Northesk
Belcarras
Forfar
Kintore
Marchmount
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dep.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.
Lords.
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Cranſtoun
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Beilhaven
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord JuſticeClerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs *of* Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon *of* Inverask
George Lockhart *of* arnwath
William Nisbet *of* Dirletoun
John Cockburn *Younger of* Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſhock
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Eliot *of* Minto
Archibald Dowglaſs *of* Cavers
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhill
Mr John Pringle *of* Haining
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
George Baillie *of* Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun *of* Weſterhall
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
John Sharp *of* Hoddam
Mr. William Steuart *of* Caſtleſtewart
Mr. John Steuart *of* Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple *of* Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
Sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
Thomas Sharp *of* Houſtoun
Mr. John Montgomery *of* Wrae
John Hadden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
Sir David Ramſay *of* Balmain
Alexander Gordon *of* Pitlurg
John Udney *of* That Ilk
William Seton *Younger of Pitmedden*
Alexander Grant *Younger of* That Ilk
Hugh Roſs *of* Kilravock
John Forbes of Culloden
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M'leod *of* Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell *of* Manmore
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
David Bethun *of* Balfower
Major Henry Balfour of Dunboig
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeillor
James Halyburton *of Piteur*
Alexander Abercrombie *of Glaſſoch*
William Maxwell *of* Cardineſs
Sir Henry Innes *Younger of* That Ilk
Alexander Douglaſs *of* Egliſhaw
Mr. Alexander Abercrombie *of* Tillibody.
John Bruce *of* Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows

Sir Patrick Johnſton
Robert Inglis
John *Scrimſour*
John Allardyce
Lieutenant Collonel John Areskine
Alexander Watſon
Hugh Montgomerie
John Mure
James *Scot*
Sir John Anſtruther
Robert Johnſtoun
Sir John Areskine
James *Spitle*
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
George Monro
Sir Andrew Home
William Coltrain
Sir Peter Halkett
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Captain Daniel Macleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
Mr. Dowgal Steuart
George Brodie
George Spenſe
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardice
Mr. William Johnſton
William Alves
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Rorie *Mackenzie*
John Urquhart
Sir James Steuart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Fraſer
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitlan
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic ſubſcribitur *Seafield* Cancellar. I. P. D. P.

NOES

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Athole
Earls.
Errol
Mariſchal
Wigtoun
Viſcount.
Stormount
Lords.
Saltoun
Oliphant
Bargany
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

Sir James Fowlis *of* Collingtoun
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
Mr. William Cochran *of* Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun *of* Luſs
John Murray *of* strowan
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie *of* Phinhaven
David Grahame *Younger of* Fintrie
James Ogilvie *Younger of* Boyhd

Of the Burrows.

Alexander Robertſon
Alexander Edgar
Francis Moliſon
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
Archibald Scheilds
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. John Carruthers

Sic Subſcribitur *Seafield* Cancellar. I. P. D. P.

IN *the Parliament the* 7 *of* December 1706, *Two States of a Vote being propoſed, the firſt in theſe Terms,* Approve of the firſt Paragraph of the Fifteenth Article of Union or not, *and the ſecond in theſe Terms,* Whether we ſhall engage in the payment of the Debts of *England* Yea or Not, *and the Vote was thereupon put,* Whether the Firſt or Second ſhould be the ſtate of the Vote, *and it carried* Firſt, *And the Liſt of the Members as they Voted,* Firſt *or* Second *(Ordered to be Printed) is as follows,*

FIRST.

Of the Nobility.

Marq: of Montroſe P.S.C.
Duke of Argyle
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Buchan
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh

Haddingtoun
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Northeſque
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kintore
Marchmont
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain

Ilay
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Cranſtoun
Frazer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons

Robert Dundaſs of Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Sir Gilbert *Eliot* of *Minto*
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Mr. John *Pringle* of Haining
Will: Morieſon of Preſtoungrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *Douglaſs* of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple of Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk

Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
Mr. John Montgomery of Wrae
John Hadden of Glenagies
Mungo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Sir *David* Ramſay of Balmain
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant younger of that Ilk
Hugh Roſs of Kilravock
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M^c^leod of Catboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell younger of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of Pitcurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
Sir Henry Innes younger of that Ilk
*A*lexander Douglaſs of Egleſhaw
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
Robert Inglis
John Scrymſour
Lieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John *Muir*
James Scot
Sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
George Monro
Sir Andrew Home
William Coltran

Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Colin Campbell
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Captain Daniel M^c^leod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
George Brodie
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie

George Allardyce
William Alvis
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Roderick Mackenzie
John Urquhart
Sir James Steuart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *Dalrymple*
Mr. Charles Campbell

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SECOND.

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marqueſs of Annandale.
Earls
Errol
Mariſchal
Wigtoun

Strathmore
Selkirk
Viſcounts
Stormont
Kilſyth.
Lords
Saltoun

Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons

George Lockhart of Carnwath
Sir James Foulis of Colingtoun
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
John Grahame of Killairn
Sir Patrick Murray of Auchtertyre
John Murray of Strowan

Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
James More of Stoniewood
*D*avid Beathun of Balfour
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeilor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie of *Phinhaven*
*D*avid Grahame younger of Fintrie
James Ogilvie younger of Boynd
Mr. George Mackenzie of Inchcoulter

Of the Burrows.

Alexander Robertſon
Walter Steuart
Alexander Edgar
*A*lexander Duff

Francis Moliſon
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
Mr. John Lyon

Mr. William Johnſto
Mr. John Caruthers
George Home
John Bayne

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MINUTS
Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tueſday 10. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

ADdreſs of Heretors and Commons of the Town and Paroch of *Douglaſs* ſubſcribing the ſame, and Addreſs of Parochioners of *Carmichael* and *etinean*, ſubſcribers of the ſame, both againſt an Union with *England* in he Terms of the Articles were given in and Read.

The Sixth Article of Union again Read, as alſo a Report of the Committee to whom the ſame was Remitted in the Terms following. *viz. The Committee of Parliament appointed for conſidering the Sixth Article of the Treaty of Union and Propoſals made in Parliament relative thereto, having conſidered the Clauſe under-written, anent the Præmiums and Rewards for Exporting of Victual*, are of Opinion, that the Clauſe after-mentioned be added to the Article of Union, whereof the Tenor follows, Viz. *And ſeing by the Laws of* England, *notwithſtanding there are Rewards granted upon the Exportation of certain kinds of Grain, wherein Oats Grinded or Ungrinded are not ſpecified, That from and after the Union when Oats ſhall be at Fifteen ſhilling* Sterling per *Quarter or under, there ſhall be payed Two ſhilling and Six pence* Sterling *for every Quarter of the* Oat Meal *Exported in the Terms of the Law, whereby, and ſo long as Rewards are granted for Exportation of other Grains, and that the Bear of* Scotland *have the ſame Rewards as Barley.*

And upon a Motion, That the Præmium to be allowed ſhould be higher, after a long debate thereon, it was put to the Vote, *Approve of the Report or alter*, and it carried *Approve.*

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her* Majeſties *High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her* Majeſties *Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Wedneſday 11. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

THen the following Addreſſes were given in and read, *viz.* Addreſs of the Presbytry of *Dumblain* ſubſcribing theſame. Addreſs of the Presbytry of *Hamilton* ſubſcribing the ſame. Addreſs of the Inhabitants of the Parochins of *Caputh*, Lethendy, *Alyth* and *Kinloch* in *Perth-ſhire* ſubſcribers of the ſame Addreſs of the Inhabitants of the Parochins of *Errol, Kilſpindie, Kinaird, Inchture, Longforgan, St. Madoes* and *Kinfauns* in *Perth-ſhire* ſubſcribing the ſame ; Addreſs of Heretors, the Miniſter, Elders and Heads of Families in the Paroch of *Logie* ſubſcribers of the ſame ; And Addreſs of the Parochins of *Airth*, Larbert, *Dunipace* and *Denny* ſcbſcribing the ſame ; all againſt an Union with *England* in the terms of the Articles.

Thereafter a Propoſal given in for a further Addition to the ſixth Article, in theſe terms, *viz.* ‘ And that there be likewiſe a *Præmium* allow‘ed for the Exportation of Oats proportionally with the Meal, compting three Bolls ‘of Oats to one Quarter of Meal, ſo that the *Præminm* may be ten ſhilling *Scots* for every Boll of Oats exported.

Which being read, after debate thereupon, it was put to the Vote, *Allow a* Prœmium *on the Exportation of Oats*, or *not* ; and it carried *not*.

Then a ſecond Report of the Committee to whom the Sixth Article is remitted was brought in, and read in theſe terms ; ‘ The Committee of Parliament ap‘pointed for conſidering the ſixth Article of the Treaty of Union, and Propoſals ‘ made in Parliament relative thereto ; Having conſidered the Clauſe under wri‘ten, are of Opinion, that it ſhould be added to the Articles of Union as follows ; *And in reſpect the Importation of Victual into* Scotland *from any place beyond Sea, would prove a Diſcouragement to Tillage; Therefore that the Prohibition as now in force by the Law of* Scotland *againſt Importation of Victual from* Ireland, *or any other place beyond Sea into* Scotland, *do after the Union remain in the ſame force as now it is.*

And after ſome Reaſoning, it was propoſed to add to the above-report the ſubſequent Clauſe, *viz. Until more proper and effectual ways be provided by the Parliament of* Great-Britain, *for diſcouraging the Importation of the ſaid Victual from beyond Sea :* And after ſome further Reaſoning, the ſaid ſecond Report was agreed to, And it was put to the Vote, *Add the above Clauſe to the ſaid Report*, or *not* and it carried *Add.*

Thereafter an Overture for an Act for additional *Præmiums* on exportation of Victual to commence the firſt of *Feb.*, and to end the laſt of *April* both next to come *incluſive*, given in and read ; And agreed, that the ſame be taken into Conſideration immediatly after the Reports relating to the ſixth Article of Union.

Then a third Report brought in from the ſaid Committee was read in theſe terms ; ‘ The Committee of Parliament appointed for conſidering the ſixth Article

‘ ticle of the Treaty of Union, and Propoſals made in Parliament relative thereto; Having conſidered the Clauſe mentioned in the 27th days Minuts, anent the making and exporting of *P*laiding, Fingrams, Galloway-whites, Sarges, Stockings, and all ſorts of Linen to *England*, Dominions and Plantations thereof, or any part beyond *S*ea, free of any Duty or Impoſition; and having conſidered the *Engliſh* Acts of Parliament relative thereunto, particularly the 32 *Act primo Gulielmi & Mariæ*, and the twenty *Act Gul. undecimo & duodecimo*, in regard there appears to be no Reſtraint at preſent regulating the way and manner of making *Engliſh* woollen Cloaths and others to be exported, and that all the Woollen Manufacturs are declared to be free of Duty and Impoſition whatſoever at exporting, and that by the ſaid ſixth Article of the Treaty of Union, all parts of the united Kingdom are to have the ſame Allowances and Encouragements; Therefore the Committee are of Opiuion, that the adding the foreſaid Clauſe to the Articles of Treaty is unneceſſary.

And after Debate, the Vote was put, *Approve of the ſaid third Report*, or *not*; and it carried *Approve*.

Thereafter a fourth Report was brought in from the ſaid Committee, and read in theſe terms, *viz. The* Committee *to whom the Conſideration of the ſixth Article of Union, and Propoſals made in Parliament relative thereto are remitted; Having conſidered that Clauſe mentioned in the 27th days Minuts; That after the Union all ſorts of* Scots*Linen, or any kind of Cloath made of Flax or Hemp be exported out of the united Kingdom free of all Cuſtoms or Impoſitions whatſomever*; After full reaſoning on the ſaid Clauſe, the Committee are of Opinion, *That the adding of the ſaid Clauſe to the Articles of the Treaty of Union is unneceſſary, the* Engliſh *Duty on Linen being only Sixpence* ſterling *on the fourty* Engliſh *Elns.*

And after debate thereon, a Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the ſaid fourth Report of the Committee*, or *Alter*; and it carried *Approve*.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk* Regiſter, *Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, ***Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to Print the ſame.***

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Thurſday 12. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

ORdered that a Scurrilous Print, Intituled, *Queries to the Presbyterian Noblemen, Barrons, Burgeſſes, Miniſters and Commoners in* Scotland, *who are for the Schem of an Incorporating Union with* England, *according to the Articles agreed upon by the Commiſſioners of both Nations,* be burnt by the hand of the common Hangman, at the Mercat-croſs of *Edinburgh,* to Morrow betwixt Eleven and Twelve of the Clock, and the Magiſtrats of *Edinburgh* appointed to ſee the ſame punctually done.

And Remitted to the Committee of Parliament to whom the Sixth and Eight Articles of Union are Remitted, to make Enquiry anent the Printer, Author and In-giver of the ſaid Scurrilous Paper.

A Fifth Report was then brought in from the Committee, to whom the Sixth Article of Union is remitted, and Read in theſe Terms, ‘The Committee of Parliament appointed for conſidering the Sixth Article of Union and Propoſals made in Parliament relative thereto, having conſidered the Clauſe under-written, are of Opinion, that it ſhould be added to the Article of Union as follows, Excepting and reſerving the Duties upon Export and Import of ſuch particular Commodities from which any Perſons the Subjects of either Kingdom, are ſpecially Liberated and Exempted by their privat Rights, which after the Union are to Remain Safe and Entire to them in all Reſpects as before the ſame; and after ſome Reaſoning, it was put to the Vote, *Approve of the ſaid Fifth Report or not,* and it carried *Approve.*

A Sixth Report brought in from the ſaid Committee was Read in theſe Terms, ‘The Committee are alſo of Opinion, That there be a Clauſe added to the Articles of Union in theſe Terms, *viz*, That from and after the Union, no *Scots* Cattle carried into *England,* ſhall be lyable to any other Duties, either on the publick or privat Accounts, than theſe Duties to which the Cattle of *England* are or ſhall be lyable, within the ſaid Kingdom.

And a Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the ſaid Sixth Report or not,* and it carried *Approve.*

A Seventh Report was brought in from the ſaid Committee, and was Read in theſe Terms, ‘The Committee having conſidered the Clauſe mentioned in the Twenty Seventh Days *Minuts* which was deſired to be added to the Articles of Union, *viz.* That *Scotland* ſhall be free from and no ways ſubject to the Prohibitions againſt Exporting of Wool, Sheep and Lamb Skins with Wool upon them, and Woollen Yarn, for the ſpace therein mentioned, after full Reaſoning thereanent, The Committee are of Opinion, that the foreſaid Clauſe ought not to be added to the Articles of the Treaty, but that the Exporting of Wool, Sheep and Lamb-skins with Wool upon them, and Woollen Yarn, ought to be under the ſame Prohibitions as in *England.*

And after Reaſoning a ſtate of a Vote was offered, ‘Approve of the ſaid ſeventh Report of the Committee as to all except *Mort* Lambs Skins, and Remit to the ſaid Committee to receive Overtures for Encouragement of Wooll-*Maſters* and Woollen *Manufactures Yea* or *Not.*’

After ſome Reaſoning, it was propoſed, that a *Præmium* be given upon Exportation of courſe Cloth made of Tarr'd Wool, for encouragement of the Wool-*M*aſters.

And thereafter a Reſolve was offered in theſe Terms, Reſolved, ‘ That there ſhall be an Encouragement provided to the Heretors of Wool Coun- ‘ tries, in caſe the Report of the Committee *anent the Exportation of Wool* &c. be Approven.

And after ſome Reaſoning, a Propoſal was given in for adding a Clauſe in theſe Terms; ‘ And for Remeeding the loſs Wooll-maſters may ſuffer, and for En- ‘ couraging the *M*anufacturing of Tarr'd Wooll within the Kingdom, and to prevent ‘ effectually the Exporting thereof, It is provided and declared, That for the ‘ ſpace of ſeven Years after the Union, when the Tarr'd Wool within the Shires ‘ of *Roxburgh*, *Selkirk* and *Tweeddale*, is at four pound *Scots* or under for the ſtone ‘ Weight, Fifteen ſhilling *Scots*, ſhall be payed of *Præmium* for every ſtone Weight ‘ of Tarr'd Wool, to every Wool-maſter, who within a *M*oneth after the ſaid ‘ Tarr'd Wool is Clipped or Shorn off the Sheep, ſhall by his own Oath or the ‘ Oaths of two habile Witneſſes, before any Judge Ordinar, make appear that the ‘ Number of Stones of Tarr'd Wool ſpecified in the ſaid Oaths were truly and rea- ‘ ly Clipt and Shorn from Sheep in *Scotland*, properly belonging to the Perſons ‘ mentioned in the ſaids Oaths; and which *Præmium* ſhall be payed by the next ‘ Collector of Ceſs, Exciſes or Cuſtoms, upon delivering to them the foreſaid ‘ Depoſitions Signed by the Deponents, and Judge foreſaid, with a Receipt of ‘ the *M*oney, and the ſaid Collectors and each of them ſhall be perſonally lyable ‘ for the ſaid *Præmium*, upon Inſtruments taken againſt them in caſe of Refuſal, ‘ and the foreſaid Depoſitions and Receipt ſhall be allowed to the ſaid Collectors as ‘ an Exoneration in their Accompts *pro tanto*.

And after ſome further Debate, that the ſaid ſeventh Report be Remitted back to the Committee, with the ſeveral Propoſals made thereanent, a ſecond ſtate was offered for a Vote in theſe Terms, *Approve of the ſaid Seventh Report of the Committee, or Remit the ſame and Propoſals thereanent back to the Committee.*

After Debate, which of the Two ſhould be the ſtate of the Vote, whether First or Second, it was put to the Vote *Firſt* or *Second*, and it carried *Firſt*.

Thereafter the Vote was put *Approve of the Seventh Report of the Committee as to all, except Mort Lambs Skins, and Remit to the ſaid Committee to receive Overtures for Encouragement of the Wool-maſters and Woollen-manufacture, or Not*: And it carried *Approve* in the Terms of the ſtate.

Petition of *John Henry Huguetan* and his Factor, craving to be Naturalized, and alſo craving a Protection, Read, and the conſideration thereof delayed till the firſt *Sederunt* of Parliament on priyat Buſineſs to be then taken into conſideration next after the Act in favours of the Burgh of *Dundee*.

The Committee appointed to meet in the uſual place to morrow at Nine of the Clock.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Monday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Monday 16. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read* ;

ADdreſs of Barons, Freeholders, and others within the Shire of *Berwick*, Subſcribers of the ſame, againſt an Union with *England* in the Terms of the Articles, given in and read.

A ſcurrilous Print aſſerting the Dependency of the Crown and Kingdom of *Scotland* upon the Crown and Kingdom of *England* brought in, and ſeveral Paragraphs thereof being read,

Ordered, That the ſaid ſcurrilous Print be burned by the Hand of the common Hangman, at the Mercat-croſs of *Edinburgh* to morrow, betwixt eleven and twelve of the Clock, and the Magiſtrats of *Edinburgh* appointed to ſee the ſame punctually done.

An Eighth Report from the Committee, to whom the Sixth Article of Union was remitted, brought in and read in theſe Terms, *viz. The Committee of Parliament, to whom the Sixth Article of the Treaty was remitted, having conſidered the Remit to them, with the Books of Rates both for* Scotland *and* England, *and the ſeveral Acts of Parliament relating thereto, the Schemes or Abſtracts from the Cuſtom-houſe Books given in to them from the Council of Trade, and the Report thereanent of their Sub, Committee, who, on a Report from them, had compared the Cuſtoms and Duties on Export and Import ſettled in* England *with theſe ſettled in* Scotland, *and had calculated the Dutys payable in* Scotland *upon Tarr, Tobacco, Iron, Dails, ſingle and double Trees, Lint and Lintſeed, and compared the ſame with the Duties payable upon the ſame Goods in* England, *at a* Medium *of the three Years, whereof they had the ſaid Abſtracts from the Cuſtom-houſe Books :* They find, *That, as to the Cuſtoms and Duties on Export and Import in generall, the Cuſtoms in* Scotland *belong to the Crown, and are perpetual, whereas theſe in* England *terminat at a certain number of Years,* viz. *About Two Fifteen Parts thereof at* 8th. March 1709 *Years, Nine Fifteen Parts thereof at* 1ſt. Auguſt 1710, *about Three Fifteen Parts thereof continue only during Her Majeſties Life, and about One Fifteen Part thereof for Ninety Five Years ; And that the Duties upon Exportation, which were granted* 12° Car. 2. Cap. 4. *are eaſie, have never been augmented, ſave upon a very few particulars, and terminat the firſt of* Auguſt 1710 ; *That theſe Goods which contribute to* Luxury, *and thoſe that are Manufactured, or can be had within the Iſland, are thoſe that pay high Duties when Imported, but that the whole or moſt of the Cuſtoms and Duties paid at Importation, are drawn back upon Exportation, if Exported within a certain time, except a Moiety of Old Subſidy which is very ſmall, and which is Impoſed by the foreſaid Act* 12° Car. 2. Cap. 4. *and terminats the firſt of* Auguſt 1710 ; *That the Duties upon the before-mentioned Goods, at the above* Medium *payable in* Scotland, *by the neareſt Calculation can be made, amounts to* 253184 l. 15 ſh. 7 d. *and now payable in* England *to* 413559 l. 8 ſh. 4 d. *and payable in* England *after* 1710 *to* 129640 l. 9 ſh. 8 d. Scots, *and the Duties upon our* Linen *Cloath and Cattel Imported into* England, *by the above* Medium, *amounts to* 272629 l. 3 ſh. 10 d. *Money foreſaid :* So that it is the Opinion of the Committee, *The Duties after* 1710 *will be much eaſier than now they are, and even, as they ſtand now payable in* England, *conſidering the Duties that are upon* Scots *Goods Impotted into* England, *and taken off by the Treaty, the Cuſtoms of* Scotland *taken together even before the firſt of* Auguſt 1710, *will be eaſier than now they are.*

And after ſome Reaſoning thereon, A State of a Vote was offered, *Approve of the Sixth Article of Union as Explained and Enlarged, or Not.*

But it being moved, That the Vote could not be ſtated in theſe Terms, in reſpect what concerned the *African* Company fell under the ſaid Sixth Article, which was to be conſidered.

Whereupon it was agreed, That what concerns the *African* Company ſhall be intire, and be taken into Conſideration under the Fifteenth Article, and that the Approving of the Sixth Article ſhall not be prejudicial thereto.

And the above State for a Vote being again propoſed, after ſome Debate, it was moved, That the ſaid Article ſhould be further Amended; And thereupon a ſecond ſtate of a Vote was offered in theſe Terms, *Approve or Amend.*

Whereupon the ſaid ſixth Article, with the ſeveral Additions, Enlargements and Explanations after-mentioned, contained in ſeveral former Minuts, *viz.* *The Word* Drawback *to be inſert in both Clauſes of the ſaid Article.* Item, *And ſeing by the Laws of* England, *notwithſtanding there are Rewards granted upon Exportation of certain kinds of Grain, wherein Oats Grinded or Ungrinded, are not ſpecified, that from and after the Union, when Oats ſhall be at Fifteen Shillings* Sterlin per *Quarter, or under, there ſhall be paid Two Shillings and Six Pence* Sterlin *for every Quarter of the Oat Meal Exported in the Terms of the Law, whereby, and ſo long as Rewards are granted for* Exportation *of other Grains, and that the Bear of* Scotland *have the ſame Rewards as Barley.* Item, *And in reſpect the Importation of Victual into* Scotland *from any part beyond* Sea, *would prove a Diſcouragement to Tillage. Therefore, That the Prohibitions as now in force by the Law of* Scotland *againſt Importation of Victual from* Ireland *or any other place beyond Sea into* Scotland, *do after the* Union *remain in the ſame force as now it is, untill more proper and effectual ways be provided by the Parliament of* Great-Brittain, *for diſcouraging the Importation of the ſaid Victual from beyond* Sea. Item, *Excepting and reſerving the Duties upon Export and Import of ſuch particular Commodities, from which any Perſons, the Subjects of either Kingdom, are ſpecially liberated and exempted by their private Rights, which, after the Union, are to remain ſafe and intire to them in all reſpects as before the ſame.* Item, *That, from and after the Union, no* Scots *Cattel carryed into* England, *ſhall be lyable to any other Duties, either on the publick or private Accounts, than theſe Duties, to which the Cattel of* England *are, or ſhall be lyable within the ſaid Kingdom,* being all read over, it was put to the Vote, whether the firſt or ſecond ſhould be the ſtate of the Vote, And it carryed, *Firſt.*

Then the Vote was put, 'Approve of the ſaid ſixth Article as Enlarged 'and Explained, or Not; And it carryed, *Approve.*

Draught of an Act for Additional *Præmiums* on *Exportation* of Victual, to commence the firſt of *Febuary*, and to end the laſt of *April* both next to come, again read, and a firſt reading ordered to be marked thereon.

The Eighth Article of Union read, and the firſt Clauſe or *Paragraph* thereof was alſo again read.

Whereupon a Report brought in from the Committee, to whom the ſaid Eighth Article is remited, was read in theſe Terms, 'The Committee, to 'whom the Eighth Article of Union anent Duties upon Salt was remitted, 'are of Opinion, That, after the firſt *Clauſe* of the ſaid Article, an Expla'nation in the Terms following will be neceſſary.

'But, in regard the *Duties* of great Quantities of Forreign Salt Imported 'may be very heavy upon the *Merchants* Importers; That therefore all

'Foreign Salt Imported ſhall be Cellar'd and Lock'd up under the Cuſtody
' of the Merchant Importer, and Officers imployed for *Levying* the Duties
' upon *Salt*; And that the Merchant may have what Quantities thereof his
' Occaſion may require, Not under a Wey, or Fourty Buſhels at a time,
' giving ſecurity for the Duty of what Quantity he receives, payable in
' ſix Months.

And after ſome Reaſoning thereon, the further Conſideration of the ſaid Eighth Article and Report was delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her *Majeſties* high *Commiſſioner*, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY Order of his Grace James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

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Tueſday 17. *December*, 1706.

Prayers ſaid.
Rolls Called.
Minutes of the laſt Sederunt read.

THE Earl of *Caithnes* took the Oath of Allegiance, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

The firſt Clauſe or Paragraph of the eighth Article of Union again read, with the Report of the Committee, in relation thereto, for Explanation of the ſame, inſert in the former days Minuts.

And after reaſoning thereupon, The Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the ſaid firſt Paragraph, with the Report of the Committee for Explanation of the ſame, yea or not.*

And before voting, the ſaid Paragraph, and Report of the Committee for Explanation of the ſame were again read.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve or Not*, and it carried *Approve.*

Then that Clauſe of the ſaid Eighth Article of Union, anent the ſalting of Fleſh for Exportation, or Victualing of Ships read; as alſo a Report of the Committee relative thereto, for altering the ſame, which after ſome Reaſoning was amended, and again read in theſe Terms, *And for eſtabliſhing an Equality in Trade, That all Fleſhes exported from* Scotland *to* England, *and put on Board in* Scotland *to be exported to parts beyond the Seas, and Proviſions for Ships in* Scotland, *and for Foreign Voyages, may be ſalted with* Scots *Salt, paying the ſame Duty for what Salt is ſo imployed as the like quantity of ſuch Salt pays in* England, *and under the ſame Penalties, Forfeitures, and Proviſions for preventing of Frauds, mentioned in the* Engliſh *Laws.*

And after further Reaſoning thereon, it was put to the Vote, *Approve of the Report as amended or not*, and it carried *Approve.*

Then the following Clauſe of the ſaid Eighth Article of Union, in relation to the continuing in Force the Laws and Acts of Parliament in *Scotland* for pining, curing and packing of Herrings, White-fiſh, and Salmond, for exportation with Foreign Salt only, and for preventing of Frauds in curing and packing of Fiſh was read; as alſo a Report brought in from the Committee for adding a Clauſe thereto in theſe Terms, *But in reſpect it appears from the Books of the Royal Fiſherie Company, confirmed by Practice, That the Quantity of* 102^{1088}_{1200} *of* Pound weight aver de pois *of Foreign Salt, which pays Eight Shillings and Four pence of Duty, is neceſſary for the right curing and packing a Barrel of white Herrings, Therefore there ſhall be allowed and paid during the preſent allowances for other Fiſhes, for every Barrel of white Herrings which ſhall be exported, Ten Shillings* Sterling.

Thereafter a Petition of the Salt Owners, Fiſhers of Herring, and white Fiſh, and others who make uſe of *Scots* Salt was given in, craving that ſuch Amendments might be made to the ſaid Eighth Article of Union, as would put them in an equal Footing with their Neighbours in *England*, with regard to their Salt, and alſo the Freedom of making Salt upon Salt.

Which being read, after ſome Debate thereon, and upon the above laſt inſert Report of the Committee, the further Conſideration thereof was delayed till the next Sederunt of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, adjourned the Parliament, till to Morrow at ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS Of the Proceedings in *Parliament.*

Wedneſday 18. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

ADdreſs of the Town and Parochin of *Lawder* and *Chainhilkirk* ſubſcribing the ſame, and Addreſs of Heretors, Liferenters, Elders, Parochioners and remanent Indwellers in the Paroch of *Calder*, ſubſcribers of the ſame, both againſt an Union with *England* in the terms of the Articles given in and Read.

Thereafter another Report brought in from the Committee to whom the Eighth Article of Union is Remitted, was Read in theſe Terms, That White-Herrings, Red-Herring, Salmond, Dry or Barrelled Cod, and all Fiſhes Cured or Packed in order to Exportation, ought to be Cured & Packed with Forreign Salt allennerly, and that it does require Four Bolls of Forreign Salt to Cure and Pack a Laſt of White-Herrings.

And after much Debate thereupon, a Motion was made for amending that Clauſe of the ſaid Eighth Article of Union mentioned in the former days Minuts in relation to the continuing in force the Laws and Acts of Parliament in *Scotland for Pining, Curing and Packing of Herrings, White-fiſh and Salmond, for Exportation with Forreign Salt only*, by adding theſe Words thereto, *without any* Mixture *of* Brittiſh *or* Iriſh *Salt.*

And the Addition being accordingly made, the Clauſe as ſo amended was Read over.

And after ſome further Debate, the Vote was put *Approve the ſaid Clauſe as amended Yea or Not*, and it carried *Approve.*

Thereafter it was propoſed that the Parliament ſhould proceed to conſider the Drawbacks.

And it was alſo propoſed that the Parliament ſhould proceed to conſider how far allowance ſhould be given for Importation of Forreign Salt in order to the making Salt upon Salt, the further conſideration whereof was delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY Order of his Grace James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

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Thurſday 19: *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,

THE Earl of *Caithneſs* proteſted againſt calling the Earl of *Glencairn* in the Rolls of Parliament before him.

Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

Additional Liſt of Commiſſioners of Supply for the Shire of *Caithneſs* given in and Read, and ordered to be added to the Commiſſioners formerly named for that Shire, and all Members allowed to bring in Liſts of Commiſſioners of Supply to be added to theſe already named, at any time during this Seſſion of Parliament.

Thereafter the laſt Clauſe of the eighth Article of Union, in relation to the allowing of *Præmiums* and *Draw-backs* was read, as alſo a Report brought in from the Committee to whom the ſaid eighth Article was remitted inſert in the Minuts of the 17th inſtant, *Number* 39. in theſe Terms; *But in reſpect it appears from the Books of the Royal Fiſherie Companie confirmed by Practice, that the Quantity of* 102 $\frac{1088}{1200}$ *of pound weight* Aver de Pois *of Forreign Salt, which pays eight Shillings and four pence of Duty, is neceſſary for the right curing and packing a Barrel of White-Herrings; Therefore, there ſhall be paid during the preſent Allowances for other Fiſhes, for every Barrel of White Herrings which ſhall be exported, ten Shillings* Sterling.

And another Report brought in from the ſaid Committee was alſo read, in theſe Terms, " That ſixteen Shillings and eight *Pence* upon every Barrel
‘ of Salmond, ſix Shilling and eight *Pence* upon every Barrel of Red-Her-
‘ rings, that two Pound ten Shillings upon every hundred Cod-fiſh, Ling,
‘ or Haick, of twenty four Inches and upwards, from the Bone in the Finn
‘ to the third Joynt of the Taill; one Pound fifteen Shillings *Sterling* for e-
‘ very ſuch Fiſh of the length of eighteen Inches and upwards, and under
‘ twenty four Inches, and one Moiety of the foreſaid Allowance for every
‘ ſuch Fiſh dryed, commonly called *Haverdens*, of the like Dimenſions (be-
‘ ing the Draw-backs allowed by the *Engliſh* Laws upon the Exportation of
‘ theſe Fiſhes) are ſufficient Incouragements.

And after Reaſoning on the above ſeveral Reports, it being moved a higher Draw-back ſhould be allowed upon the Exportation of White Herrings;

After ſome Debate thereon, the ſaid laſt Clauſe of the eighth Article of Union was agreed to with this Addition, " That there ſhall be allowed and
‘ paid to the Subjects Inhabitants of *Great Britain*, during the preſent Allow-
‘ ances for other Fiſhes, for every Barrel of White Herrings which ſhall be ex-
ported from *Scotland*, ten Shillings and five Pence *Sterling*.

Thereafter another Report brought in from the ſaid Committee was likewiſe read, in theſe Terms; *That there ought to be no Drawback upon the Exportation of ſalted Beeff and Pork*; And after Debate thereupon, the further Conſideration thereof was delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſsioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Friday 20. December 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THen the Debate mentioned in the Minuts of the laſt *Sederunt*, in Relation to the allowing of Drawbacks upon the Exportation of Beeff and Pork was reſumed; and after ſome further Debate thereupon, the Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the* Report *of the Committee*, or *Alter.*

And before Voting, it was agreed, That the Members Votes ſhall be marked, and that the Liſt of their Names as they ſhall Vote, ſhall be Printed and Recorded.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve* or *Alter*, and it carried *Alter.*

Thereafter moved, That the Parliament now proceed to the Conſideration of what Draw-backs ſhall be allowed upon the Exportation of Beeff and Pork.

Moved alſo, that the Conſideration thereof be delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament. And after ſome Reaſoning,

Agreed, That the Conſideration of what *Drawbacks* ſhall be allowed upon Exportation of Beeff and Pork be delayed till next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till Monday next at ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Monday 23. December 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THEN the Parliament proceeded to the Conſideration of what Drawbacks ſhall be allowed upon the Exportation of Beeff and Pork.

And after ſome Debate thereon, a Clauſe was offered in relation thereto, in theſe Terms, *And that there ſhall be allowed four Shillings Seven Pence half Penny* Sterling *for every Barrel of Beeff or Pork ſalted with Foreign Salt, and exported for Sale, alterable by the Parliament of* Great Britain. And after further Reaſoning,

Agreed, That the Draw-back ſhall be five Shillings *Sterling* for every Barrel of Beeff or Pork, and the Clauſe was accordingly ſo amended and Read.

Thereafter it was propoſed, That the ſaid Drawback ſhall not be alterable by the Parliament of *Great Britain*, during the continuance of the Duty upon Salt in *England*.

And after ſome Debate, there were two States of a Vote offered, the Firſt in theſe Terms, Approve of the above Clauſe, viz. *And that there ſhall be allowed five Shillings* Sterling *for every Barrel of Beeff or Pork ſalted with Foreign Salt, and Exported for Sale, alterable by the Parliament of* Great Britain, Yea or Not: And the ſecond State in theſe Terms, *Continue the Præmium of five Shillings upon the Barrel of Beeff and Pork till the ſame be altered by the Parliament of* Great Britain, *or during the Impoſition on Salt.*

And after ſome Reaſoning, which of the Two ſhould be the State of the Vote, Firſt or Second, it was put to the Vote, Firſt or Second.

And before Voting, it was Agreed, That the Members Votes ſhall be Marked, and that the Liſt of their Names as they ſhall Vote, ſhall be Printed and Recorded.

Then the Vote was put, Firſt or Second, and it carried Firſt.

Thereafter it was put to the Vote, *Approve the Clauſe or Not*, and it carried *Approve.*

Thereafter theſe Clauſes of the Eighth Article of Union in relation to *Scots* Salt, were Read, and the Firſt Clauſe or Paragraph thereof again Read, And after ſome Reaſoning thereon, it was Moved, That the Exemption from the Duty of *Scott* Salt provided by the ſaid Clauſe to be for Seven Years, ſhall be perpetual; and after ſome further Debate, The Conſideration thereof was delayed till next *Sederunt* of Parliament, to be then reſumed previous to all other Buſineſs.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſsioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS
Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tueſday 24. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,

Rolls Called,

Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

ADdreſs of Gentlemen and Heretors of the Parochins of *Mayboll*, *Kirkmichael*, *Girvan*, *Kirkoſwald* and *Barr*, and of the Magiſtrats and Town Council of *Mayboll*, and other Inhabitants of the ſaid Parochines within the Juriſdiction of *Carrick*, Subſcribers of the ſame, againſt an Union with *England* in the terms of the Articles, given in and read.

Additional Liſts of Commiſſioners of Supply for the Shires of *Linlithgow*, *Dumbartoun*, *Argyle* and *Elgin*, given in and read, and ordered to be added to the Commiſſioners formerly Named for the ſaid reſpective Shires.

Thereafter theſe Clauſes of the Eighth Article of Union in relation to *Scots* Salt were again Read.

And after ſome Reaſoning thereon, a Clauſe was given in to be added thereto in theſe Terms, ' And with proportional Draw-backs and Allowances as in *England*, with this Exception, that *Scotland* after the ſaid ſeven Years ſhall remain exempted from the Duty of Two Shillings and Four Pence a Buſhel on Home Salt, Impoſed by an Act made in *England* in the 9th and 10th of King *William* the 3d of *England*; And if the Parliament of *Great-Britain* ſhall at, or before the expiring of the ſaid ſeven years, ſubſtitute any other Fund in place of the ſaid Two Shillings and Four Pence of Exciſe on the Buſhel of Home Salt, *Scotland* ſhall after the ſaid ſeven years bear a proportion of the ſaid Fund, and have an Equivalent in the terms of the Treaty.

And after further Reaſoning on the ſaid Clauſe, another Clauſe was given in in theſe terms, ' But *Scotland* ſhall in all time after the Union be exempted from paying of all Duty or Tax on Salt made in *Scotland*, in ſo far allennarly as the ſaid Salt ſhall be made uſe of within that part of *Great-Britain* now called *Scotland*, but all Salt made in *Scotland* from and after the Union that ſhall be Exported to that part of *Great-Britain* now called *England*, or to any other Nation in Specie, or that ſhall be Imployed in Salting of Fiſh or Fleſh to be Exported, or for Victualling of Ships to go to *England* or any other Nation, ſhall be lyable to the ſame Duties as ſhall be then payable for Salt made in *England*, to be levied and ſecured in the ſame manner, and with the like Draw-backs and Allowances as in *England*; And that after the Union, no Salt whatſoever be brought from *Scotland* to *England* by Land in any manner, under the penalty of

And after further Debate on the ſaid two Clauſes, the Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the firſt Clauſe or ſecond.*

But before Voting it was agreed that the Members Votes ſhall be Marked, and that the Liſt of their Names as they ſhall Vote be Printed and Recorded. And the Duke of *Athole* gave in the following Proteſt, ‘ Whereas Salt is the moſt uſeful and neceſſary Ingredient in all ſorts of Victuals, any Duties or Exciſe on the ſame may prove a moſt grievous and inſupportable Burthen, eſpecially on the Commons, I do therefore proteſt for my ſelf, and in Name of all who ſhall Adhere, That the People of this Kingdom now called *Scotland*, ſhall be free for ever of any Duties and Exciſes on the Salt made within this Kingdom :

Which being Read, he took Inſtruments thereupon.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve of the firſt Clauſe or the ſecond,* and it carried *Firſt.* And at calling of the Rolls, The Duke of *Hamilton*, the Marquiſs of *Annandale*, the Earl of *Errol*, the Earl of *Mariſchall*, the Earl of *Caithneſs*, the Earl of *Wigtoun*, the Earl of *Galloway*, the Earl of *Selkirk*, The Viſcount of *Stormount*, the Viſcount of *Kilſyth*, the Lord *Saltoun*, the Lord *Oliphant*, the Lord *Balmerino*, the Lord *Blantyre*, the Lord *Bargany*, the Lord *Beilhaven*, the Lord *Colvill*, the Lord *Kinnaird*, *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, Sir *Robert Sinclair* of *Longformacus*, *John* *John Sinclar* younger of *Stevenſon*, Mr. *Alexander Ferguſon* of *Iſle*, *John Briſbane* younger of *Biſhoptoun*, Mr. *William Cochran* of *Kilmaronock*, *James Grahame* of *Bucklyvie*, *Robert Rollo* of *Powhouſe*, Sir *Patrick Murray* of *Auchtertyre*, *John Murray* of *Strowan*, Mr. *Thomas Hope* of *Rankeillor*, Mr. *Patrick Lyon* of *Auchterhouſe*, Mr. *James Carnagie* of *Phinhaven*, *David Grahame* younger of *Fintry*, *James Oglvie* younger of *Boyn*, *Alexander Mackye* of *Palgown*, Mr. *George Mackenzie* of *Inchcoulter*, *Alexander Robertſon*, *Alexander Watſon*, *Alexander Edgar*, *John Black*, *Francis Molliſon*, *Robert Scot*, *Robert Kellie*, *Archibald Sheills*, Mr. *John Lyon*, Sir *David Cuninghame*, *George Home*, and Mr. *Robert Frazer*, adhered to the Duke of *Atholes* Proteſt.

Thereafter it was moved to read over the ſaid Eighth Article of Union, with the ſeveral Additions and Alterations, in order to the Approving thereof.

But it being moved that the ſaid Article, with the Additions and Alterations ſhould be firſt Tranſcribed, the ſame was delayed till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Thurſday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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IN the Parliament the *24th December* 1706, There were two Clauſes given, the Firſt in theſe Terms, *And with proportionable Drawbacks and Allowances as in* England, *with this Exception, That* Scotland *after the ſaid Seven years ſhall remain exempted from the Dutie of Two ſhillings and four Pence a Buſhel on Home Salt, impoſed by an Act made in* England *in the 9th and 10th of King* William *the 3d of* England; *And if the Parliamet of* Great-Britain *ſhall at or before the Expyring of the ſaid Seven Years, ſubſtitute any other Fund in place of the ſaid* 2 ſh. *and* 4 d. *of Exciſe on the Buſhel of Home Salt,* Scotland *ſhall after the ſaid Seven Years bear a Proportion of the ſaid Fund, and have an Equivalent in the Terms of this Treaty.* And the Second in theſe Terms, *But* Scotland *ſhall in all time after the Union be exempted from paying of all Dutie or Tax on Salt made in* Scotland, *in ſo far allennarly as the ſaid Salt ſhall be made uſe of within* Scotland; *But all Salt made in* Scotland, *from and after the Union that ſhall be Exported to* England, *or to any other Nation* in ſpecie, *or that ſhall be imployed in ſalting of Fiſh or Fleſh to be Exported, or for Victualling of Ships to go to* England *or any other Nation, ſhall be lyable to the ſame Duties, as ſhall be then payable for Salt made in* England, *to be levied and ſecured in the ſame manner, and with like Drawbacks and Allowances as in* England, *and that after the Union no Salt whatſoever be brought from* Scotland *to* England *by Land in any manner, under the Penalty of* &c. Whereupon a Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the Firſt Clauſe or Second,* and it carried Firſt, and the Liſt of the Members Names as they Voted *Firſt or Second* (ordered to be Printed) is as follows

FIRST.

Of the Nobility.

Marq: of Montroſe P.S.C.
Duke of Argyle
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian.
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Buchan
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Lawderdale
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Northeſk
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmont
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcount
Duplin.
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Mr. John *Pringle* of Haining
Will: Morieſon of Preſtoungrange
Alexander *Horſeburgh* of that Ilk
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *Douglaſs* of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William *Dalrymple* of Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
Mr. John Montgomerie of Wrae
John Halden of Glenagies
Mungo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Hugh Roſs of Kilravock
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M'leod of Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of Pitcurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
Mr. James Dunbar yor. of Hemprigs
Alexander Douglaſs of Egleſhaw
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
John Scrimſour
Lieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John *Muir*
James Scot
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William *Sutherland*
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alvis
Mr. James Bethun
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *Dalrymple*
Mr. Charles Campbell

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* I: P: D. P.

SECOND.

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marqueſs of Annandale.
Earls
Errol
Mariſchal
Eglintoun
Caithneſs
Wigtoun
Galloway
Selkirk.
Viſcounts
Stormont
Kilſyth.
Lords
Saltoun
Olipbant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvill
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart of Carnwath
Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
Sir Gilbert Eliot of *Minto*
William Baillie of *Lamingtoun*
John *Sinclair* yor. of Stevenſon
John Sharp of Hoddam
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
Sir Hugh Cathcart of Carletoun
John Briſbane younger of Biſhopton
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir John Houſtoun of that Ilk
John Grahame of Killairn
James Grahame of Bucklivie
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe
Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
Sir Patrick Murray of uchtertyre
John Murray of Strowan
Sir *David* Ramſay of Balmain
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
John Udney of that Ilk
John Forbes of Culloden
David Bethun of Balfour
Major Henry Balfour of Dunboig
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeilor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie of *Phinhaven*
David Grahame younger of Fintrie
James Ogilvie younger of Boynd
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
Alexander Mckye of Palgoun
James Sinclair of *Stempſter*
Sir Henry Innes younger of that Ilk
Mr. Alexr. Abercrombie of Tillibody
Mr. George Mackenzie of Inchcoulter

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
John Allardice
Walter Steuart
Alexander Watſon
Hugh Montgomery
Alexander Edgar
John Black
James Oſwald
Robert Johnſton
Alexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
VValter Scot
William Coltran
George Smith
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
Archibald Sheils
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dougal Steuart
George Brodie
George Spence
Sir David Cuninghame
Mr. William Johnſtoun
Mr. John Caruthers
George Home
Mr. Roderick Mackenzie
Mr. Robert Frazer.

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Thurſday 26. December 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

ADdreſs of Parochioners of *Clackmannan*, Subſcribers of the ſame, againſt an Union with *England* in the Terms of the Articles, given in and read.

Thereafter the Eighth Article of Union with the ſeveral Alterations, Additions and Inlargements was twice Read over.

And the Vote being ſtated, *Approve of the ſaid Eighth Article as amended or Not*, It carried *Approve.*

Then the Second Clauſe of the Fifteenth Article of Union beginning with theſe Words, *And in regard that after the Union* Scotland, was Read, and after ſome Reaſoning thereon, it was agreed to.

The Third Clauſe of the ſaid Fifteenth Article, beginning with theſe Words, *And for the further and more effectual anſwering*, was alſo Read and agreed to.

The Fourth Clauſe beginning with theſe Words, *And that upon the ſaid account there ſhall be anſwered to* Scotland, was likeways Read and agreed to.

The Fifth Clauſe of the ſaid Fifteenth Article beginning with theſe Words, *And whereas from the Expiration of Seven years*, was alſo Read, and Ordered to be Delete, being determined by the Eighth Article.

The Sixth Clauſe beginning *And generally, That an Equivalent ſhall be anſwered to* Scotland, was Read, and the Words, *or Salt*, appointed to be Delete, and after ſome Reaſoning on the ſaid Clauſe, after deleting theſe Words, the Vote was put, *Approve of the ſaid Clauſe or Not*, and it carried *Approve.*

Then the ſeventh Clauſe of the ſaid fifteenth Article beginning thus. *And as for the Uſes to which the ſaid Sum of Three Hundred Ninety Eight Thouſand*, was Read; As alſo, the Repreſentation of the Council General of the Company of *Scotland*, Trading to *Africa* and the *Indies*, and the Conſideration of both delayed till next Sederunt of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Friday 27. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THE Lord Chancellor acquainted the Parliament, **That notwithſtanding**, the ſeveral Addreſſes brought in, and preſented to the *Parliament*, *Againſt an Incorporating Union with* England. *in the Terms of the Articles*, have been under due Conſideration, during the whole *Procedure*, upon the *Articles of Union* : Yet there is now Information, that *Letters* are ſent through ſeveral Corners of the Kingdom, Deſiring the Subſcrivers of theſe *Addreſſes*, to come in and Aſſemble at *Edinburgh*, upon pretence of waiting the Effect of the ſaid *Addreſſes*, and of knowing what Return the Parliament will give them. All which he was directed by his Grace, Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, to lay before the Parliament, to the Effect proper Meaſures may be reſolved upon, for preventing any Evil Conſequences from theſe Practices.

And after ſome Diſcourſe thereupon, a *Proclamation* was brought in and read, againſt all ſuch Meetings and Gatherings of the Subjects as unwerrantable, and contrair to Law. And after further Diſcourſe, as to the Ground of the Information,

Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, was pleaſed to ſignifie to the Parliament, That he had Information from ſeveral Corners of the Kingdom, of the great Pains and Methods, which had been uſed to procure Subſcriptions to *Addreſſes*, and to call in to *Edinburgh* the Subſcribers, againſt a preciſe Day to Back theſe *Addreſſes*.

And after Debate upon the Draught of the Proclamation, the Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the Proclamation, or not.*

But before Voting It was agreed to mark the Members Votes, and that the Liſt of their Names as they ſhall Vote, be Printed and Recorded.

And *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath* gave in the following Proteſtation, *viz.* I George Lockhart *of* Carnwath *Proteſt for my ſelf, and all others who ſhall adhere to this my Proteſtation, that this Proclamation now offered to be emitted,* *Diſcharging Barons, Free-Holders, and Heretors within this Kingdom, to come to* Edinburgh *in time of ſitting of parliament, ſhall no ways prejudge the Rights and Priviledges of the Barons, Free-Holders, and Heretors of this Kingdom, competent to them by the Laws of this Nation.*

Which being Read, he took Inſtruments thereupon, and the *Adherers* were allowed to be marked at Calling the Rolls.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve the Proclamation or Not*, and it carried *Approve.* And the Duke of *Hamilton* the Duke of *Athole*, the Earl of *Errol*, the Earl *Mariſchal*, the Earl of *Wigtoun*, the Earl of *Selkirk*, the Viſcount of *Stormont*, the Viſcount of *Kilſyth*, the Lord *Oliphant*, the Lord *Balmerino* the Lord *Blantyre*, the Lord *Bargany*, the Lord *Beilhaven*, the Lord *Colvil*, the Lord *Kinnaird*, Sir *James Foulis* of *Collingtoun*, Sir *John Lawder* of *Fountainhall*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, Sir *Patrick Home* of *Rentoun*, *John Briſbane* younger of *Biſhoptoun*, Mr. *William Cochran* of *Kilmaronock*, *James Graham* of *Bucklyvie*, *Robert Rollo* of *Powhouſe*, Sir *Patrick Murray* of *Auchtertyre*, *John Murray* of *Strowan*, *Alexander Gordon* of *Pitlurg*, *John Forbes* of *Colloden*. *David Bethune* of *Balfour*, Major *Henry Balfour* of *Dunboig*, Mr. *Thomas Hope* of *Rankeillor*, Mr. *Patrick Lyon* of *Auchterhouſe*, Mr. *James Carnagie* of *Phinhaven*, *David Grahame* younger of *Fintrie*, *James Ogilvie* younger of *Boyne*, *Alexander Mackye* of *Palgown*, *James Sinclair* of *Stempſter*, Mr. *George Mackenzie* of *Inchcoulter*, *Alexander Watſon*, *Francis Molliſon*, Mr *John Lyon*, Sir *Robert Anſtruther*, Mr. *John Caruthers*, *George Home*, and *John Bain*, adhered to the Proteſtation given in by *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till Monday next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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This belongs to MINUTS 46.

IN the Parliament the 27 of *December* 1706, a Vote was ſtated, *Approve of a Proclamation Diſcharging Unwarrantable and Seditious Convocations and Meetings*, Yea *or* Not, and it catried Approve ; and the Liſt of the Members Names as they voted *Approve* or *Not* (ordered to be Printed), is as follows.

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

Marquis of Montroſe *P. S. C.*
Duke of Argyll
Marquis of Tweeddale
Marquis of Lothian.

Earls.

Mar *sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Eglingtoun
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Galloway
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Northesk
Belcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmount
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther.Dep.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.

Lords.

Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Duffus
Lord Regiſter
Lord JuſticeClerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs *of* Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon *of* Inverask
William Nisbet *of* Dirletoun
John Cockburn *Younger of* Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſnock
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Eliot *of* Minto
Archibald Dowglaſs *of* Cavers
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhil
Mr. John Pringle *of* Haining
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
Sir John Johnſtoun *of* Weſterhall
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
Mr. William Steuart *of* Caſtleſtewart
Mr. John Steuart *of* Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple *of* Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
Sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
Thomas Sharp *of* Houſtoun
Mr. John Montgomery *of* Wrae
John Halden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
William Seton *Younger of* Pitmedden
Hugh Roſs *of* Kilravock
Mr. John Campbell *of* Mammore
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
James Halyburton *of* Pitcur
Alexander Abercrombie *of* Glaſſoch
William Maxwel *of* Cardineſs
Alexander Douglaſs *of* Egliſhaw
John Bruce *of* Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſton
John *Scrimſour*
Lieut. Coll: Jo. Areskine
John Muir
James *Scot*
sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James *Spitle*
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halkett
sir James smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William *Sutherland*
Captain Daniel Macleod
sir David Dalrymple
sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alves
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Rorie *Mackenzie*
John Urquhart
sir James steuart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur *Seafield* cancellar. I. P. D. P.

NOES

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marquis of Annandale.

Earls

Errol
Mariſchal
Wigtoun
Selkirk.

Viſcounts

Stormount
Kilſyth.

Lords.

Saltoun
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil.
Kinnaird

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart *of* Carnwath
Sir James Fowlis *of* Collingtoun
Sir John Lawder *of* Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
Sir Robeet Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home *of* Rentoun
William *Baillie of* Lamingtoun
John *Sinclair Younger of Stevenſon*
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon *of* Iſle
John Brisbane *Younger of* Biſhoptoun
Mr. William *Cochran of* Kilmaronock
Sir John Houſtoun of that Ilk
James *Grahame of* Bucklivie
Robert Rollo *of* Powhouſe
sir Patrick Murray *of* Auchtertyre
John *Murray of* Strowan
Alexander Gordon of pitlurg
John Forbes of Culloden
David Bethun *of* Balfowr
Major Henry Balfour of Dunboig
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeillor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James *Carnagie of* Phinhaven
David Grahame *Younger of Fintrie*
James Ogilvie *Younger of* Boynd
Alexander Mckye *of* Palgown
James Sinclair *of* Stempſter
sir Henry Innes *Younger of* That Ilk
Mr. George Mackenzie *of* Inchcoulter

Of the Burrows.

Alexander Robertſon
Walter *Stuart*
Alexander Watſon
James Oſwald
Alexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
George Smith
Robert *Scot*
Robert Kellie
Archibald Scheilds
Mr. John Lyon
Sir Robert Anſtruther
Sir David Cuninghame
Mr. John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayn

Sic ſubſcribitur *seafield* cancellar. I. P. D. P.

Numb. 47.

MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Monday 30. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THereafter the firſt part of the Seventh and laſt Clauſe of the Fifteenth Article of Union, beginning thus, *And as for the Uſes to which the ſaid Sum of* lib. 398085, *&c.* was again Read, and after Reaſoning, the Repreſentation of the Council-General of the Company of *Scotland* Trading to *Africa* and the *Indies* was alſo again Read; and after further Reaſoning thereupon, and upon the Application of the Equivalent, a Propoſal was given in for altering and amending the ſaid Firſt part of the above Seventh and laſt Clauſe of the ſaid Fifteenth Article in theſe Terms, Viz.

'It is agreed, That in the Firſt place, out of the foreſaid Sum, what Conſideration ſhall be found neceſſary to be had for any Loſſes which private Perſons may ſuſtain, by reducing the Coin of *Scotland* to the Standart and Value of the Coin of *England* may be made good. In the next place, That the Capital Stock, or Fund of the *African* and *Indian* Company of *Scotland*, advanced, together with the Intereſt for the ſaid Capital Stock, after the Rate of Five *per cent. per annum*, from the reſpective Times of the Payment thereof, ſhall be payed: Upon payment of which Capital Stock and Intereſt; It is agreed, the ſaid Company be Diſſolved and Ceaſe; and alſo, that from the time of paſſing the Act of Parliament in *England*, for raiſing the ſaid Sum of 398085 *lib.* 10 *ſh*, The ſaid Company ſhall neither Trade nor Grant Licence to Trade; providing, That if the ſaid Stock and Intereſt ſhall not be payed in Twelve Months, after the Commencement of the Union, That then the ſaid Company may from thence forward Trade or give Licence to Trade until the ſaid haill Capital Stock and Intereſt ſhall be payed; and as to the Overplus of the ſaid Sum of 398085 *lib.* 10 *ſh.* after payment of what Conſideration ſhall be had for Loſſes in Repairing the Coin, and paying the ſaid Capital Stock and Intereſt; and alſo the hail Increaſe of the ſaid Revenues of Cuſtoms, Duties and Exciſes, above the preſent Value which ſhall ariſe in *Scotland* during the ſaid Term of Seven Years, together with the Equivalent, which ſhall become due upon the Improvement thereof in *Scotland* after the ſaid Term, and alſo as to all other Sums, which according to the Agreements aforeſaid may become payable to *Scotland* by way of Equivalent, for what that Kingdom ſhall hereafter become lyable, towards payment of the Debts of *England*; It is agreed, That the ſamen be applyed In manner following, *viz.* That all the publick Debts of the Kingdom of *Scotland* as ſhall be adjuſted by this preſent Parliament, ſhall be payed, and that 2000 *lib. ſter. per annum*, for the ſpace of Seven Years, ſhall be applyed towards Incouraging and Promoting the Manufacture of courſe Wool within theſe Shires which produce the Wool, and that the Firſt 2000 *lib. ſter.* be payed at *Martinmaſs* next, and ſo yearly at *Martinmaſs* during the ſpace foreſaid; and afterwards the ſame ſhall be wholly applyed towards the Encouraging and Promoting the Fiſheries and ſuch other Manufactures and Improvements in *Scotland*, as may moſt conduce to the general Good of the United Kingdom.

Which being Read, and after Reaſoning thereon, it was moved, That the company of *Scotland* Trading to *Africa* and the *Indies* be heard by their Lawyers upon the Rights and Privileges of the ſaid Company before any further procedure; And after debate,

The ſaid hail Seventh and laſt Clauſe of the ſaid Fifteenth Article of Union from theſe Words, *And as for the Uſes to which the ſaid Sum of* 398085 lib. ſter. to the end, with the above Alteration and Amendment was Read over.

And thereupon there were Two ſtates of a Vote offered, The Firſt in theſe Terms, *Approve of tho Fifteenth Article of Union as Altered and Amended*, Yea *or* Not; and the Second in theſe Terms, *Whether this Houſe will diſſolve the* Indian *and* African *Company without the conſent of the Proprietars, and Hearing the Companies Lawyers upon the Rights and Priviledges of the ſaid Company*, Yea *or* Not; and after ſome Reaſoning which ſhall be the ſtate of the Vote, *Firſt* or *Second*,

It was agreed before Voteing, that the Members Votes be *M*arked, and that the Liſt of their *N*ames as they Vote, be Printed and Recorded.

Then the Vote was put Firſt or Second, and it carried Firſt.

Thereafter it was put to the Vote, *Approve of the ſaid Fifteenth Article as Altered and Amended or not*, and it carried *Approve.*

Then an Overture given in, In theſe Terms, ‘That it be Remitted to the Committee to conſider what Conſideration ſhall be had of the Loſſes of the Coin; As alſo what the Capital Stock and Intereſt of the *African* Company, may amount to, and how and to whom the ſame ſhall be payed, and likeways to Adjuſt the Liſt of the publick Debts, and to prepare Overtures on theſe ſeveral Heads, and to Report to the Parliament, with Power to them to call for Papers and Perſons, and accordingly it was Remitted to the Committee to whom the ſixth and eighth Articles were remitted.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, adjourned the *P*arliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

JA. MURRAY, *Cls. Reg.*

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This belongs to MINUTS 47.

IN the Parliament the 30 of *December* 1706, Two ſtates of a Vote were offered, the Firſt in theſe Terms, *Approve of the Fifteenth Article of Union as Altered and Amended,* Yea *or* Not ; And the Second in theſe Terms, *Whether the Houſe will Diſſolve the* African *Company, without the Conſent of the Proprietors, and Hearing the Companies Lawyers upon the Rights and Priviledges of the ſaid Company,* Yea *or* Not ; Whereupon the Vote was put, *Whether* Firſt *or* Second *ſhould be the ſtate of the Vote,* and it carried *Firſt* ; And the liſt of the Members Names as they Voted, *Firſt* or *Second,* (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

FIRST

Of the Nobility.

Marq:of MontroſeP.S.C.
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Lawderdale
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmont
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcount
Duplin.
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs of Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell ofCeſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Eliot of Minto
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Mr. John Pringle of Haining
Will. Morieſon of Preſtoungrange
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William Douglaſs of Dornock
Mr.William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr.William Dalrymple of Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir John Houſtoun of that Ilk
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
Mr. John Montgomerie of Wrae
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor, of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
Major Henry Balfour of Dunboig
James Halyburton of Pitcurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
Mr. James Dunbar yor. of Hemprigs
Sir Henry Innes yor, of that Ilk.
Alexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
John Scrimſour
Lieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John Muir
James Scot
Robert Johnſtoun
Sir John Areskine
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
George Monro
Sir Andrew Home
William Coltran
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr. WilliamCarmichael
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alvis
Mr. James Bethun
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. AlexanderMaitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* I: P: D: P.

SECOND

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marqueſs of Annandale.
Earls
Errol
Buchan
Eglingtoun
Caithneſs
Wigtoun
Galloway
Selkirk.
Viſcounts
Stormont
Kilſyth.
Lords
Saltoun
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart of Carnwath
Sir James Foulis of Colingtoun
Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
William Baillie of Lamingtoun
John Sinclair yor. of Stevenſon
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
Sir Hugh Cathcart of Carletoun
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
John Grahame of Killairn
James Grahame of Bucklivie
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe
Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
Sir PatrickMurray of Auchtertyre
John Murray of Strowan
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
John Forbes of Culloden
David Bethun of Balfour
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeilor
Mr. James Carnagie of Phinhaven
David Grahame younger of Fintrie
James Ogilvie younger of Boynd
James Sinclair of Stempſter
Mr.Alexr.Abercrombie of Tillibody.

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
John Allardice
Walter Stuart
Hugh Montgomery
Alexander Edgar
James Oſwald
Sir John Anſtruther
Alexander Duff
Francis Moliſon.
VValter Scot
George Smith
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
Archibald Sheils
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dougal Steuart
George Brodie
George Spence
Sir Robert Anſtruther
Sir David Cuninghame
Mr. William Johnſtoun
Mr John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayne
Mr. RobertFrazer.

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* *I. P. D. P.*

This belongs to MINUTS 47.

IN the Parliament the 30 of *December* 1706, A Vote was put in theſe Terms, *Approve of the Fifteenth Article of Union, as Altered and Amended,* Yea *or* Not, and it carried *Approve* : And the Liſt of the Members Names as they Voted, *Approve* or Not, (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

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Of the Nobility.

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Stair
Roſeberry
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Hoptoun
Delorain

Ilay.
Viſcount
Duplin
Lords.
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Lord Regiſter
Lord JuſticeClerk.

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Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſnock
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Eliot *of* Minto
Archibald Dowglaſs *of* Cavers
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhil
Mr. John Pringle *of* Haining
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
Sir John Johnſtoun *of* Weſterhall
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
Mr. William Steuart *of* Caſtleſtewart
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple *of* Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
Sir John Houſtoun of that Ilk

Sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
Mr. John Montgomery *of* Wrae
John Halden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
William Seton *Younger of* Pitmedden
Sir Kenneth *Mackenzie*
Mr. John Campbell *of* Manmore
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
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Alexander Abercrombie *of* Glaſſoch
William Maxwel *of* Cardineſs
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Alexander Douglaſs *of* Egliſhaw
John Bruce *of* Kinroſs.

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John *Scrimſour*
Lieut. Coll: Jo. Areskine
Hugh Montgomery
John Muir
James Scot
Robert Johnſtoun
Sir John Areskine
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
George Monro
sir Andrew Home

William Coltrain
Sir Peter Halkett
sir James smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William *S*utherland
Captain Daniel Macleod
sir David Dalrymple
sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
sir Hugh Dalrymple

Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alves
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur *Seafield* Cancellar. I. P. D. P.

NOES

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marquis of Annandale.
Earls
Errol
Buchan
Caithneſs

Wigtoun
Galloway
Selkirk.
Viſcounts.
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Kilſyth.

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Sir Patrick Home *of* Rentoun
William *Baillie of* Lamingtoun
John Sinclair *Younger of* Stevenſon
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon *of* Iſle
sir Hugh Cathcart *of* Carletoun
John Brisbane *Younger of* Biſhoptoun
Mr. William Cochran *of* Kilmaronock

John Grahame *of* Kilairn
James Grahame *of* Bucklivie
Robert Rollo *of* Powhouſe
Thomas Sharp *of* Houſtoun
John *Murray of* Strowan
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeillor
Mr. James Carnagie *of* Phinhaven
David Grahame *Younger of Fintrie*
James Ogilvie *Younger of* Boynd
James Sinclair *of* Stempſter
Mr. Alexander Abercrombie *of* Tillibody.

Of the Burrows.

Walter Stuart
Alexander Edgar
Francis Moliſon
George Smith
Mr. John Lyon

Mr. Dowgal Steuart
George Brodie
George Spence
Sir David Cuninghame

Mr. John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayn
Mr. Robert Fraſer.

Sic ſubſcribitur *Seafield* Cancellar. I. P. D. P.

Numb. 48

MINUTS
Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tueſday 31. *December* 1706.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read* ;

SAturday next appointed for privat Buſineſs.

Thereafter the *Sixteenth* Article of Union was Read Twice over, and the following Words were added thereto, *And that the preſent Officers of the Mint be continued, ſubject to ſuch Alterations,* &c. And the Article as amended being again read over, after Reaſoning thereon, a Memorial was given in in Relation to the Loſſes by the Coin, and remitted to the Committee to whom the *Sixth* and Eighth Articles were remitted

Then the Vote was put, *Approve of the Sixteenth Article or not*, and it carried *Approve*.

Moved that a Proclamation be iſſued forth *Lowering the value of the current Coin of this Kingdom to the true Standart*, and Remitted to the above Committee, to be proceeded on by them prior to all other Buſineſs.

The Seventeenth Article of Union was then Read, and after ſome Reaſoning thereon, It was put to the Vote, *Approve of the Seventeenth Article or not*, and it carried *Approve*.

Thereafter the Eighteenth Article of Union was Read, and after Reaſoning thereon ; an Overture was given in for adding a Clauſe in theſe Terms, *That all* Scotſ-men *be exeemed from the* Engliſh *Sacramental Teſt, not only in* Scotland, *but in all places of the United Kingdom and Dominions thereunto belonging, and that they be declared capable of Offices throughout the whole, without being obliged to take the ſaid Teſt.*

And after Debate, It being moved, That it was not now intire to add the ſaid Clauſe in Relation to the *Sacramental-Teſt*, in reſpect of the Vote of Parliament of the 12 of *November* laſt, againſt adding the like Clauſe, after ſome further Diſcourſe thereon,

It was agreed, That the ſame ſhould be put to the Vote, and that the Members Votes be marked, and the Liſt of their Names as they ſhall Vote be Printed and Recorded.

Then the Vote was put, *Whether it was intire to add the Clauſe or not*, and it carried *Not*.

Thereafter the Vote was put, *Approve the Eighteenth Article or Not*, and it carried *Approve*.

Act for Adjourning the Seſſion to the Firſt day of *February* next to come; given in and Read, and a firſt Reading ordered to be marked thereon.

Then the Ninteenth Article of Union was Read, and delayed till next *Sederunt* of Parliament, and to be then taken under Conſideration.

The Committee appointed to meet to Morrow at Nine a Clock.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Thurſday* next at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of* Parliament, *Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

JA: MURRAY *Cls. Reg.*

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IN the Parliament the 31 of *December* 1706, a Vote was ſtated in theſe Terms, *Whether it was intire to add a Clauſe, declaring* Scots *Men capable of Offices throughout the whole United Kingdom and Dominions thereunto belonging, without being obliged to take the* Engliſh *Sacramental Teſt, Yea or Not*, and it carried Not ; and the Liſt of the Members Names as they ted *Intire* or *Not* (ordered tô be Printed) is as follows.

NOES

Of the Nobility.

Marquis of Montroſe *P. S. C.*
Duke of Argyll
Marquis of Tweeddale
Marquis of Lothian.
Earls.
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun

Lawderdale
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Belcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Marchmount
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dep.*
Hoptoun
Delorain

Ilay.
Viſcount
Duplin
Lords.
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Lord Regiſter
Lord JuſticeClerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs *of* Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon *of* Inverask
William Nisbet *of* Dirletoun
John Cockburn *Younger of* Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſnock
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Eliot *of* Minto
Archibald Dowglaſs *of* Cavers
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhil
Mr. John Pringle *of* Haining
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
Sir John Johnſtoun *of* Weſterhall
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
Mr. William Steuart *of Caſtleſtewart*
Mr. John Steuart *of* Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple *of* Glenmuir

Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
Sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
Mr. John Montgomery *of* Wrae
John Halden *of* Glenagics
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
William Seton *Younger of P*itmedden
Hugh Roſs *of* Kilravock
sir Kenneth *Ma*ckenzie
Mr. Æneas M'leod *of* Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell *of* Mammore
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
James Halyburton *of P*itcur
Alexander Abercrombie *of G*laſſoch
Alexander Douglaſs *of* Egliſhaw
John Bruce *of* Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

John *S*crimſour
Lieut. Coll: Jo. Areskine
sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James *S*pitle
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halkett
sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael

Mr. William *S*utherland
Captain Daniel Macleod
sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alves

Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Roric *M*ackenzie
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur *Seafield* cancellar. I. P. D. P

I N T I R E.

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marquis of Annandale.
Earls
Crawford
Errol
Buchan
Eglihgtoun

Caithneſs
Wigtoun
Galloway
Selkirk.
Viſcounts
Stormount
Kilſyth.

Lords.
Saltoun
Semple
Blantyre
Bargany
*B*eilhaven
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart *of* Carnwath
Sir James Fowlis *of* Collingtoun
Sir John Lawder *of F*ountainhall
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home *of* Rentoun
William *B*aillie *of* Lamingtoun
John *S*inclair *Younger of S*tevenſon
John Sharp of Hoddam
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon *of* Iſle
sir Hugh Cathcart *of* Carletoun
John Brisbane *Younger of* Biſhoptoun
Mr. William Cochran *of* Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
sir John Houſtoun of that Ilk

Robert Rollo *of* Powhouſe
Thomas Sharp *of* Houſtoun
sir Patrick Murray *of* Auchtertyre
John *Murray of* Strowan
John Forbes of Culloden
David Bethun *of* Balfowr
Major Henry Balfour of Dunboig
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeillor
Mr. James Carnagie *of* Phinhaven
David Grahame *Younger of F*intrie
James Ogilvie *Younger of* Boynd
William Maxwel *of* Cardineſs
James Sinclair *of* Stempſter
Mr. Alexander Abercrombie *of* Tillibody.

Of the Burrows.

sir Patrick Johnſton
Alexander Robertſon
John Allardyce
Walter *S*tuart
Alexander Edgar
James Oſwald
Alexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
Walter Scot

William Coltrain
George Smith
Robert *S*cot
Robert Kellie
Archibald Scheilds
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dowgal Steuart
George Brodie
*G*eorge Spence

Sir Robert Anſtruther
Sir David Cuninghame
*Mr. W*illiam Johnſton
Mr. John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayn
sir James Steuart
Mr. Robert Fraſer.

Sic ſubſcribitur *Seafield* Cancellar. I. P. D. P.

IN the Parliament the 31 of *December* 1706, a Vote was ſtated in theſe Terms, *Approve of the Eighteenth Article of Union* Yea *or* Not; and it carrid *Approve*; And the Liſt of the Members Names as they Voted Approve or Not (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

Marq: of Montroſe P.S.C.
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Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian.

Earls
Mar *Sec.*
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Rothes
Morroun
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Lawderdale
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Marchmont
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.

Viſcounts
Duplin.

Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
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Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Mr. John *Pringle* of Haining
Will. Moriſon of Preſtoungrange
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *Douglaſs* of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William *Dalrymple* of Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
Mr. John Montgomerie of Wrae
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Hugh Roſs of Kilravock
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M'leod of Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor. of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of *Pitcurr*
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
Mr. James Dunbar yor. of Hemprigs
Alexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw.
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

John Scrimſour
Lieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
Sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halket
Robert Scot
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alvis
Mr. Rorie M'kenzie
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *Dalrymple*
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* I: P: D: P.

NOES

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marqueſs of Annandale

Earls
Errol
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Wigtoun
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Selkirk.

Viſcounts
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Lords
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Balmerino
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John Brisbane younger of Biſhoptoun
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
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Francis Moliſon
Walter Scot
Robert Kellie
Archibald Sheils
Mr. John Lyon
George Spence
Sir David Cuninghame
Mr John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayne
Mr. Robert Frazer

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Numb. 49.

M I N U T S
Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Thurſday 2. January 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

ACT Adjourning the Seſſion to the Firſt Day of *February* next to come Read a ſecond Time; and after Reaſoning, it was propoſed, That the Adjournment ſhould be to the Fourth of *Febrnary*, and likeways propoſed, That the Adjournment ſhould only be to the Twenty Firſt of *January* inſtant, and after further Reaſoning, the Vote was put, *Approve of the Act Adjourning the Seſſion to the Twenty Firſt of* January *or Fourth of* February, and it carried, *Approve of the Act Adjourning the Seſſion to the Fourth of* February *next to come.*

Thereafter the Act was Touched with the Royal Scepter by Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner in the uſual manner.

Then the Nineteenth Article of Union was again Read, and after ſome Reaſoning on the Firſt Clauſe of the ſaid Article, in Relation to the Court of Seſſion or Colledge of Juſtice; a Motion was made for adding a Clauſe in theſe Terms; ‘And that hereafter none ſhall be named by the Queen or Her Succeſſors, to be ‘Ordinary Lords of Seſſion, but ſuch who have ſerved in the Colledge of Juſtice ‘as Advocats or principal Clerks of Seſſion for the ſpace of Five Years.

And after ſome Reaſoning, It was alſo moved, That Writers to the Signet ſhould be added to the Advocats and Clerks.

And after further Reaſoning, the Vote was ſtated, ‘Approve of the Firſt Clauſe ‘or Paragraph of the Nineteenth Article with the above additional Clauſe or with‘out it.

But before Voting, It was agreed, That in caſe the Vote ſhould carry Approve of the ſaid firſt Paragraph of the Nineteenth Article with the additional Clauſe, It ſhall be intire to debate, whether Writers to the Signet are to be added or not.

And thereupon the ſaid firſt Paragraph and additional Clauſe being read over, the Vote was put, ‘Approve of the ſaid Firſt Paragraph with or without the Ad‘dition, and it carried with the Addition.

And after Debate, ‘Whether Writers to the Signet ſhall be added or not, it was put to the Vote, Add Writers to the Signet or not, and it carried, Add.

Whereupon it was moved, That ſuch of the Writers to the Signet as have ſerved Five Years in that Station, ſhall be underſtood Qualified as well as Advocats and Clerks, and after Debate thereon, It was moved, that the further Debate be adjourned till the next *ſederunt* of Parliament, and alſo moved to proceed now to the Determination of the time for their Qualification.

And after Reaſoning, the Vote was put, *proceed or delay*, and it carried *Delay*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

B*Y Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the *P*roceedings in *P*arliament.

Friday 3. January 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THen the Parliament reſumed the Conſideration of the Debate anent the Qualification of Writers to the Signet, before they can be named ordinary Lords of Seſſion; and after ſome further Debate as to the time they are to ſerve as Writers, before they can be capable to be named Lords; There were two States of a Vote offered, the firſt in theſe Terms, *Whether they ſhall ſerve* 20 *Years,* or *none,* and the ſecond in theſe Terms, *Whether they are to ſerve* 8 *or* 10 *Years*; And after ſome reaſoning which of the two ſhould be the State of the Vote, *Firſt* or *Second.*

The Earl of *Abercorn* gave in a Proteſt againſt the firſt State of the Vote in theſe Terms: *I Proteſt againſt the ſtating of the firſt Vote, becauſe, which way ſoever it may be carried, it, in my humble Opinion, elides one of the two Votes paſt Yeſterday, relating to the Additional Clauſe; for, if it ſhould be carried, that a Writer to the Signet may be admitted to be an ordinary Lord of the Seſſion, without limiting a reaſonable Time for Qualifying himſelf by Experience, as to the Practical Part of the Law, then that ſeems to be inconſiſtent with the Vote, requiring Advocats undergoing a Five Years Probation at the Bar: On the other hand, if the Vote ſhould be carried for a Writers being twenty Years in that Station, before being capable to be named by the Sovereign to be an ordinary Lord of the Seſſion, that ſeems to be Tantamount to an abſolute Excluſion of Writers from the ſaid Office,* and thereupon he took Inſtruments.

Then the Vote was put, *Firſt,* or *Second,* and it carried, *Second*; Thereafter the Vote was put, *Eight,* or *Ten Years,* and it carried, *Ten Years.*

Then a Motion was made for an Additional Clauſe, in relation to the Qualification of Writers in theſe Terms, *With this Proviſion, That no Writer to the Signet be capable to be admitted a Lord of the Seſſion, unleſs he undergo a privat and publick Tryal on the Civil Law, before the Faculty of Advocats, and be found by them Qualified for the above-ſaid Office, two Years before they ſhall be named to be a Lord of the Seſſion*: And after reaſoning thereon, the Vote was ſtated, *Add the Clauſe,* or *not.*

But before voting, it was moved, *That the Qualifications made or to be made, for Capacitating Perſons to be named ordinary Lords of Seſſion, ſhall be alterable by the Parliament of* Great-Britain; And after Debate, it was put to the Vote, *Alterable,* or *not,* and it carried, *Alterable.*

Then the Vote was put, *Add the Clauſe in relation to the Qualification of Writers,* and it carried, *Add.*

Thereafter the ſecond Clauſe of the nineteenth Article of Union in relation to the Courts of Juſticiary, was read, and agreed to.

And the third Clauſe in relation to the Admiralty, was alſo read, and agreed to.

Thereafter the other Clauſes of the ſaid nineteenth Article in relation to the Court of Exchequer and other Courts, and alſo the Remainder of the Article was read, and agreed to.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve of the nineteenth Article as amended,* or *not,* and it carried, *Approve.*

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe* Minuts *of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Saturday 4. January 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

ACT in favours of the Burgh of *Dundee*, for an Impoſition of two Pennies upon the Pint of Ale and Beer, to be Brown and Vended within the Bounds, and for the Uſes therein mentioned, Read a ſecond time, and after Reaſoning thereon, a Clauſe was offered to be added thereto, Impowering Overſeers and Mannagers of the ſaid Impoſition; and with power to determine how it ſhall be uplifted, whether out of the Malt or out of the Liquor; and a Petition given in for the Brewers of *Dundee* againſt the ſaid Act was Read; and another Clauſe was offered to be added to the ſaid Act, in favours of Mr. *James Anderſon*, in theſe Terms, ‘ With this Proviſion, as ‘ it is hereby expreſly provided and declared, That the ſaid Impoſition is, ‘ and ſhall be burdened with the Sum of twelve hundred Pounds yearly, for ‘ the ſpace of ſix Years, to be payed to Mr. *James Anderſon* Writer to the ‘ Signet, or his Aſſigneys, as a part of the Expenſes of the Work recommended ‘ to him by the Parliament, and that at two Terms in the Year, *Martinmaſs* and *Whitſunday*, beginning the firſt Terms Payment at *Martinmaſs* 1707 ‘ Years; And ordains the Magiſtrats of the ſaid Burgh to make payment of ‘ the ſame accordingly; Which being Read, it was agreed to add the ſaid Clauſe; and after further Reaſoning on the ſaid Act, ſeveral other Ammendments were made thereupon, and after Debate on the above Petition for the Brewers, and Clauſe in relation to the Mannagement, it was put to the Vote *Approve of the Act as amended, or add the Clauſe*, and it carried Approve.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, acquainted the Parliament, that in this Seſſion of Parliament, other two Days ſhall be appointed for private Buſineſs.

Draught of an Act for Diſſolution of the Lands of *Orkney* and *Zetland* from the Crown, in favours of the Earl of *Mortoun*, Read, and agreed, That the Feu-duty payable therefore, ſhall be ſix thouſand Pounds, and that the Queens Haulks be reſerved, and a firſt Reading ordered to be marked thereon, and agreed that the ſaid Act ſhall be firſt proceeded upon, the firſt *Sederunt* for private Buſineſs preferable to all others.

Petition *John Henry Huguetan*, craving to be Naturalized, and alſo craving a Protection, again Read, and thereafter an Act for his Naturalization was alſo Read; And ſicklike, an Act for the Naturalization of Colonel *Scipio Hill*, Lieutenant-Colonel *Henry Verriere* of Her Majeſties Regiment of Footguards, Lieutenant-Colonel *John Cadour* Captain in Major General *Maitland*'s Regiment, Captain *Theadore Dury* Her Majeſties chief Engineer, Captain *Daniel Charlot* Brigadeer in Her Majeſties Troop of Guards, Captain *John Burjond* in Colonel *Grant*'s Regiment, Captain *James Cavaleir* Lieutenant in Her Majeſties Troop of Horſe-Granadeers, Enſign *Peter Charantoun* in the Lord *Strathnaver*'s Regiment, *Peter Cregut* formerly Lieutenant in Sir *William Dowglaſs*'s Regiment, *Jeremiah Boſugne* Adjutant to Major General *Maitland*'s Regiment, Mr. *James Leblanc* and *Daniel Laſagette* Merchants, *Joſhua Legoux* Servitor to the Earl of *Roxburgh*, *Francis Gobron* late Servitor to the

Earl of *Crawfurd*, *Peter Biſhop* alias *La-Mar* Servitor to the Earl of *Strathmore*, Mr. *John Godfrey* Preacher of the Goſpel, and Major *Belſhazer Guydet* Captain of Dragoons in the Marquiſs of *Lothian*'s Regiment was Read, and a firſt Reading ordered to be marked upon the ſaids Acts.

And after Debate upon the above *Petition* as to the *Protection*, It was moved, That a Deliverance be granted thereon, in the following Terms, *viz.* ‘That for the better enabling the Petitioner to Re-eſtabliſh his Affairs and ſatisfie his juſt Debts, *Protection* be granted for the ſpace of Seven Years to the Petitioners perſon; and alſo that *Protection* for the ſpace foreſaid be granted to the Petitioners Goods and Eſtate Heretable and Moveable againſt Diligence at the inſtance of Creditors, for ſuch Debts as have been contracted before *April* 1705 years, Excepting ſuch Debts as have been contracted to any of the Subjects of Her Majeſties Dominions, or ſuch Debts as have been originally contracted to the Subjects of Her Majeſties Allies, or which ſhall be made appear by the Creditors before the Judge Ordinary, to have been Transferred to them *bona fide*, and for adequat onerous Cauſes, before the Twelfth of *December* laſt, providing always the Petitioner Reſide within this Kingdom, during the time of the ſaid Protections.

And after further Debate, It was put to the Vote, *Grant Protection to the Petitioner in the above Terms, or delay till the Act for his Naturalization get a ſecond Reading*, and it carried *Grant Protection in the above Terms.*

Agreed that the Act in favours of the Burgh of *Aberdeen*, for an Impoſition in the Terms therein mentioned, be under Conſideration the firſt *Sederunt* for privat Buſineſs, next to the Act in favours of the Earl of *Mortoun*.

Then it was intimat, That there being an Action upon the Proteſt for Remeid of Law, Sir *Thomas Dalziel* of *Binns*, againſt the Lady *Caldwell* and her Husband, the Procurators for the Lady *Caldwell* and her Husband be ready to anſwer againſt the next *Sederunt* for privat Buſineſs, and Sir *David Dalrymple* authorized to plead for the Purſuer.

Petition for the Heretors and Tradeſmen of the *Cannongate*, for a Remit to the Commiſſioners of Supply of the Shire, to Value their Tenements and Yards, and to eſtabliſh a ſettled Valuation thereof, that conform to the Valuation, they may pay their Proportion of Ceſs to the Good-Town, for their Relief thereof, Read, and appointed to be ſeen and anſwered againſt the next *Sederunt* of Parliament for privat Buſineſs.

Agreed that my Lord Chancellor Rank and Bring in privat Buſineſs to the Parliament the following days for privat Buſineſs, as he finds juſt.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till Monday next at ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament*, *Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

JA: MURRAY *Cls. Reg.*

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MINUTS

Of the *Proceedings* in *Parliament*.

Monday 6. January 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THen the following Addreſſes were given in, and read. *viz.* Addreſs of Barons, Free-holders, Heretors, Gentlemen, and others in the Shire of *Aberdeen*, Subſcribers of the ſame. Addreſs of Barons, Free-holders, Heretors Gentlemen, and others in the Shire of *Kincardine* and Town of *Stonehaven* ſubſcribing the ſame. An Addreſs of Inhabitants of the Town of *Peterhead* Subſcribers of the ſame; all againſt an Union with *England* in the terms of the Articles.

Overture for an Act *anent the Admiral Court*, read, and ordered to be Printed.

A Report brought in from the Committee to whom the conſideration of the Coyn was remitted, was read, as alſo a Draught of a Proclamation in relation thereto, and after reaſoning thereon, both were remitted back to the ſaid Committee to be further conſidered.

Then the twentieth Article of Union was read; And it was moved, that a Clauſe ſhould be added thereto for Preſerving the whole Records and Regiſters, both general and particular, and Warrands thereof, and for detaining and keeping them within this Kingdom in all time coming; And after reaſoning thereon, It was agreed, That when the twenty fourth Article falls under conſideration a clauſe to that effect ſhall be brought in to be added thereto.

Agreed, That, after the Words, *Heretable Cffices*, and, *Heretable Juriſdictions*, The Word, *Superiorities*, be added to the ſaid Article, and the Article being read over with the ſaid Addition: The Vote was put, *Approve the Twentieth Article of Union, or not*; And it carried, *Approve.*

Then, the Twenty Firſt Article of Union was Read: And, after Reaſoning, *It was Moved*, To Add a Clauſe thereto, in theſe Terms, *Subject, nevertheleſs, to ſuch Alterations, as the Parliament of* Great-Britain *ſhall think fit*: And, after further Reaſoning thereon, Two States of a Vote were offered: The Firſt in theſe Terms, *Approve the Article, or Not*; The Second, in theſe Terms, *Add the Clauſe, or Not*: And, after ſome Reaſoning, Which ſhould be the State of the Vote, *Firſt*, or, *Second*,

It was Agreed, That the Members Votes ſhall be Marked: And, that the Liſt of their Names, as they Vote, ſhall be Printed and Recorded.

Then the Vote was put, Which ſhall be the State of the Vote, *Firſt*, or, *Second*: And, it carried, *Firſt*.

Thereafter, the Vote was put, *Approve the Twenty Firſt Article of Union*, or *Not*: And it carried, *Approve.*

Then, the Twenty Second Article of Union was Read: And the Conſideration thereof delayed, till next *Sederunt* of Parliament, to be then proceeded upon, previous to all other Buſineſs.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY Order of his Grace James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and* Succeſſors *of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

JA. MURRAY *Cls. Reg.*

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IN the Parliament the 6 *January* 1707, there were two ſtates of a Vote offered, the Firſt in theſe Terms, '*Approve o the* 21ſt *Article of Union*, Yea *or* Not ; and the ſecond in theſe Terms, add a Clauſe in the following Terms, vizſ *Subject nevertheleſs to ſuch Alterations as the Parliament of* Great-Britain *ſhall think fit*, Yea *or* Not ; then the Vote was put, Whether Firſt or Second ſhould be the ſtate of the Vote, and it carried *Firſt* ; And the *Liſt* of the Members Names as they Voted, *Firſt* or *Second* (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

FIRST.

Of the Nobility.

Marq: of Montroſe P.S.C.
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of Lothian.

Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Wemyſs

Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kintore
Marchmont
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain

Ilay.

Lords
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Beilhaven
Duffus
Rollo
*L*ord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs of Arniſtoun.
Sir Robert Dickſon of Inveraſk
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir Gilbert Eliot of *Minto*
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Mr. John *P*ringle of Haining
Will. Moriſon of Preſtoungrange
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *D*ouglaſs of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William *D*alrymple of Glenmuir

Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
Mr. John Montgomerie of Wrae
John Halden of Glenegies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Alexander Grant yor. of that Ilk
Mr. Æneas M'leod of Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor. of Ardkinglaſs
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
*J*ames Sinclair of *S*tempſter
*A*lexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
John Scrimſour
*L*ieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
Alexander Watſon
John *Muir*
John Black
James Scot
Alexander Duff
Walter Scot
Sir Andrew Home
William Coltran

Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Archibald Sheils
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. Dougal Steuart
John Roſs
George Brodie
George Spence
Sir Hugh Dalrymple

Sir Robert Anſtruther
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
Mr. James Bethun
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Frazer
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *D*alrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

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SECOND:

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Marqueſs of Annandale

Earls
Erroll

Mariſchal
Wigtoun

Lords
Semple

Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Colvil.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart of Carnwath
Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
Sir Hugh Cathcart of Carletoun

Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Lu
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
Mr. James Carnagie of *Phinhaven*
Mr. Alexr. Abercrombie of Tillibody

Of the Burrows.

Mr. Patrick Moncrieff

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* I. P. D. P.

This belongs to MINUTS 52.

IN the Parliament the *6th* of *January* 1707, A Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the Twentieth Firſt Article of Union,* Yea or Not, and it carried *Approve:* And the Liſt of the Members as they voted Approve or Not (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

Marquis of Montroſe *P. S. C.*
Duke of Argyll
Marquis of Lothian.

Earls.

Mar *sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Rothes
Mortoun
Buchan
Glencairn
Eglingtoun
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Galloway
Weymes
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Belcarras
*F*orfar
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmount
Cromarty
*S*tair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dep.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.

Lords.

Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
*B*eilhaven
Duffus
Lord Regiſter
Lord JuſticeClerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs *of* Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon *of* Inveraſk
Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk
Sir Patrick Home *of* Rentoun
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſnock
Sir Gilbert Eliot *of* Minto
Archibald Dowglaſs *of* Cavers
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhil
Mr. John Pringle *of* Haining
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple *of* Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
Sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
Mr. John Montgomery *of* Wrae
John Halden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
William Seton *Younger of* Pitmedden
Alexander Grant *Younger of* That Ilk
Mr. John Campbell *of* Mammore
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
sir Henry Innes *Younger of* That Ilk
Alexander Abercrombie *of* Glaſſoch

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſton
Robert Inglis
John *S*crimſour
Lieut. Coll: Jo. Areskine
John Muir
Patrick Bruce
Sir John Areskine
James *S*pitle
M*r.* Patrick Moncrieff
sir Andrew Home
William Coltrain
Sir Peter Halkett
sir James smollet
Mr. William Sutherland
Mr. William Carmichael
Captain Daniel Macleod
sir David Dalrymple
sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
sir Hugh Dalrymple
Sir Robert Anſtruther
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alves
Mr. James Bethun
John Urquhart
sir James steuart
Daniel Campbell
sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

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NOES

Of the Nobility.

Earl

Wigtoun

Viſcount.

Kilſyth.

Lords.

Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino

Of the Barons.

eorge Lockhart *of* Carnwath
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
Mr. William Cochran *of* Kilmaronock

Sic ſubſcribitur *Seafield* Cancellar. I. P. D. P.

MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tueſday 7. January 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THe twenty ſecond Article of Union again read, and thereafter the firſt Paragraph thereof, in relation to the Number of the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* in the Parliament of *Great-Britain*, was read over again; And after long Debate, a Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the firſt Paragraph of the twenty ſecond Article*, or *Not*.

But before Voting, there were four ſeveral *Proteſts* given in, *viz.* One by the Duke of *Athole*, a ſecond by the Earl of *Buchan*, a third by *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath*, and a fourth by *Walter Steuart* Commiſſioner for the Burgh of *Linlithgow*, all againſt the ſaid Vote, and the ſeveral Proteſters took Inſtruments thereupon.

Likeas, a fifth Proteſt was given in by the Earl of *Errol*, in theſe terms;
‘ I *Charles* Earl of *Errol*, Lord high Conſtable of *Scotland*, do hereby Proteſt,
‘ that the Office of high Conſtable of *Scotland* with all the Rights and
‘ Priviledges of the ſame belonging to me Heretably, and depending upon
‘ the Monarchy, Sovereignity, and antient Conſtitution of this Kingdom,
‘ may not be weakned nor prejudged by the Conclusion of the Treaty of
‘ Union betwixt *Scotland* and *England*, nor any Article, Clauſe or Condition
‘ thereof, but that the ſaid Heretable Office, with all the Rights and
‘ Priviledges thereof, may continue and remain to me and my Succeſſors
‘ intire and unhurt by any Votes or Acts of Parliament, or other proceedings
‘ whatſomever relative to the ſaid Union : And I crave this my Proteſtation
‘ may be admitted and Recorded in the Regiſters and Rolls of Parliament.

And a ſixth Proteſt was given in by the Earl *Mariſchal* in theſe terms;
‘ I *William* Earl *Mariſchal*, do hereby *Proteſt*, that whatever is contained in
‘ any Article of the Treaty of Union betwixt *Scotland* and *England*, ſhall no
‘ manner of way derogat from, or be prejudicial to me, or my Succeſſors in
‘ our Heretable Office of Great Mariſchal of *Scotland* in all time coming, or in
‘ the full and free Enjoyment and Exerciſe of the haill Rights, Dignities, Titles,
‘ Honours, *Powers* and *Priviledges* thereto belonging, which my Anceſtors

‘and I have poſſeſſed and exerciſed as Rights of Property theſe ſeven hundred years. And I do further Proteſt, that the Parliament of *Scotland*, and Conſtitution thereof, may remain and continue as formerly: And I deſire this my Proteſtation to be inſert in the Minuts, and recorded in the Books of Parliament, and thereupon takes Inſtruments.

Which Proteſtations being read, the ſeveral Proteſters took Inſtruments upon their reſpective Proteſts.

And it was agreed, that the Members Votes be marked, and that a Liſt of their Names as they ſhall Vote be Printed and Recorded, and that at calling the Rolls the *Adherers* to the above reſpective Proteſts be marked; As alſo the Lord Chancellor was allowed to have his Name Marked, Printed and Recorded as an Approver.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve the firſt Paragraph of the twenty ſecond Article of Union*, or *Not*; and it carried *Approve*. And the Earl of *Caithneſs*, the Viſcount of *Stormount*, the Lords *Oliphant*, *Balmerino*, *Bargany* and *Kinnaird*, *John Brisbane* younger of *Biſhoptoun*, Sir *Humphrey Colquhoun* of *Luſs*, Sir *Patrick Murray* of *Aucktertyre*, *John Murray* of *Strowan*, *James Ogilvie* younger of *Boyne*, *Alexander* Mackye of *Palgown*, *James Sinclair* of *Stempſter*, *Alexander Robertſon*, *Alexander Duff*, *Francis Molliſon*, *Robert Scot*, *Archibald Sheills*, Mr. *John Lyon*, Mr. *John Carruthers*, *George Home*, *John Bayne*, and Mr. *Robert Fraſer*, Adhered to the Duke of *Atholes* Proteſt; and *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, Sir *Robert Sinclair* of *Longformacus*, Sir *Hugh Cathcart* of *Carletoun*, the ſaid *John Brisbane* younger of *Biſhoptoun*, Mr. *William Cochran* of *Kilmaranock*, Sir *Humphrey Colquhoun* of *Luſs*, *Robert Rollo* of *Powhouſe*, Mr. *James Carnagie* of *Phinhaven*, *David Graham* of *Fintrie*, and the ſaid *James Sinclair* of *Stempſter*, Adhered to *George Lockhart* of *Carnwaths* Proteſt; and the Earls of *Crawfurd* and *Galloway* Adhered to the Earl of *Buchans* Proteſt.

Then the ſecond Paragraph of the ſaid twenty ſecond Article, anent the calling of the Repreſentatives from *Scotland* to the Parliament of *Great-Britain*, beginning thus, ‘And that when Her Majeſty, *&c.* and ending, That the Names of the perſons ſo ſummoned and elected, ſhall be returned by the privy Council of *Scotland*, into the Court from whence the ſaid Writ did Iſſue, was again read; And after ſome Reaſoning, an Explanation was offered to be added after theſe Words, *According to the Agreement in this Treaty*, viz. ‘In ſuch manner as by a ſubſequent Act of this preſent Seſſion of the parliament of *Scotland* ſhall be ſettled; Which Act is hereby declared to be as valid, as if it were a part of, and ingroſs'd in this Treaty. And after further reaſoning, it was moved, that the Way and Manner of choiſing the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* to the parliament of *Great-Britain*, be determined, and that a Clauſe to that purpoſe be ingroſs'd in this Article. And after Debate, the Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the ſecond Paragraph of the ſaid twenty ſecond Article as above explained*, *Yea*, or **Not**.

Whereupon it being moved to delay the ſaid Vote till next *Sederunt* of Parliament, a previous Vote was ſtated, *Proceed*, or *Delay*; and it carried *Proceed*.

Then it was put to the Vote, *Approve of the ſaid ſecond Paragraph of the twenty ſecond Article of Union with the above Explanation above inſert*, or *Not*.

And the Clauſe with the Explanation being thereupon again read, before Voting, the Earl of *Abercorn* gave in the following Proteſt ; *viz.* ' I proteſt againſt the ſettling the Repreſentatives of *Scotland* for the parliament ' of *Great-Britain* after a diſtinct manner, from what might be appointed ' by the Vote approving of the two and twentieth Article : Becauſe I do not ' ſee clear into what may be the Conſequence thereof, and thereupon he took ' *Inſtruments.*

Then the Vote was put *Approve*, or *Not* ; and it carried *Approve*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

JA: MURRAY *Cls. Reg.*

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IN the Parliament the *7th* of *January* 1707, a Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the Firſt Paragraph of the Twenty Second Article of Union or not,* and it carried *Approve;* And the liſt of the Members Names as they Voted, Approve or not (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor allowed to be Printed amongſt the Approvers by ſpecial Order of Parliament.
Marq: of Montroſe P. *S. C.*
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Wemyſs
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmont
Hyndfoord
Cromarty
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow. *Then. Dept.*
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcount
Duplin.
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter.
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs of Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Mr. John Pringle of Haining
Will. Morieſon of Preſtoungrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *D*ouglaſs of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William *D*alrymple of Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant yor. of that Ilk
Hugh Roſs of Kilravock
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M^c^leod of Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor. of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of *P*itcurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
Mr. James Dunbar yor. of Hemprigs
Sir Henry Innes yor. of that Ilk.
Alexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
John Scrimſour
Lieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John *Muir*
James Scot
Sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr: WilliamCarmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr: John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alvis
Mr. James Bethun
John Urquhart
Sir James *S*teuart.
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *D*alrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* I: P: D: P.

NOE'S

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marqueſs of Annandale.
Earls
Crawford
Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Eglingtoun
Caithneſs
Wigtoun
Galloway
Selkirk.
Viſcounts
Stormont
Kilſyth.
Lords
Saltoun
Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart of Carnwath
Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
Sir Gilbert Eliot of Minto.
William Baillie of *L*amingtoun
John *S*inclair yor. of Stevenſon
James Hamilton of Aikenhead
Mr: Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
Sir Hugh Cathcart of Carletoun
John Brisbane younger of Biſhoptoun
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe
Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
Sir Patrick Murray of Auchtertyre
John Murray of Strowan
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
John Forbes of Culloden
David Bethun of Balfour
Mr. James Carnagie of *P*hinhaven
*D*avid Grahame younger of Fintrie
James Ogilvie younger of Boynd
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
Alexander Mckye of Palgoun
James Sinclair of *S*tempſter
Mr. Alexr. Abercrombie of Tillibody.

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
Walter *S*tuart
Alexander Watſon
Hugh Montgomery
Alexander Edgar
John Black
*A*lexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
George Smith
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
Archibald Sheils
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dougal Steuart
George Brodie
Sir Robert Anſtruther
*S*ir David Cuninghame
Mr John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayne
Mr. Robert Frazer.

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar. I. P. D. P.*

Numb. 54.

M I N U T S

Of the *P*roceedings in *P*arliament.

Wedneſday 8. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

WHereupon it being moved, That the four Proteſts given in the former Sederunt by the Duke of *Athole*, the Earl of *Buchan*, *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath*, and *Walter Steuart*, ought not to be inſert in the Minuts, nor to be Printed: After ſome reaſoning thereon, The Earl of *Marchmont* gave in a Proteſtation againſt the ſaid four Proteſts, and took Inſtruments thereupon. And the Lord Chancellor, the Marqueſs of *Montroſe* Preſident of the Privy Council, the Duke of *Argyll*, the Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*, the Marqueſs of *Lothian*, the Earl of *Mar* Lord Secretaty, the Earl of *Loudoun* Lord Secretary, the Earls of *Sutherland*, *Rothes*, *Mortoun*, *Roxburgh*, *Dalhouſſie*, *Findlater*, *Leven*, *Balcarras*, *Forfar*, *Kintore*, *Hyndford*, *Glaſgow* Treaſurer Deput, *Delorain* and *Ilay*; The Lords *Forbes*, *Elphinſtoun*, *Roſs*, *Torphichen*, *Fraſer*, *Banff*, *Rollo*, the Lord Regiſter, the Lord Juſtice-Clerk; Sir *John Swinton* of that Ilk, Sir *Alexander Campbell* of *Ceſſnock*, Sir *William Ker* of *Greenhead*, *Archibald Douglaſs* of *Cavers*, Mr. *John Murray* of *Bowhill*, Mr. *John Pringle* of *Haining*, *William Morieſon* of *Preſtoungrange*, George Baillie of *Jerviſwood*, *William Douglaſs* of *Dornock*, Mr *Francis Montgomery* of *Giffen*, Mungo *Grahame* of *Gorthie*, *William Seton* younger of *Pitmedden*, *Alexander Grant* younger of that Ilk, Mr. *John Campbell* of Mammore, Sir *James Campbell* of *Auchinbreck*, *James Campbell* younger of *Ardkinglaſs*, *James Halyburton* of *Pitcur*, *Alexander* Abercrombie of *Glaſſock*, *Alexander Douglaſs* of *Eagliſhaw*; Sir *Patrick Johnſtoun*, Lieutenant Colonel *John Arskine*, *John Mure*, *James Spitle*, Sir Andrew *Home*, Mr. *William Carmichael*, Sir *Alexander Ogilvie*, Mr. *John Clark*, Mr. *Patrick Ogilvie*, George *Allardyce*, Mr. *James Bethun*, *Daniel Campbell*, Mr. *Robert Douglaſs*, Mr. *Alexander Maitland*, and Mr. *Charles Campbell* adhered thereto: And after long reaſoning thereupon, the further Debate was adjourned till next Sederunt of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament*, Sir James Murray of Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter*, *Appoints the Heirs and* Succeſſors *of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

JA. MURRAY *Cls. Reg.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament

Thurſday 9. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THen the Debate mentioned in the Minuts of the ſaid laſt *Sederunt* was reſumed, in relation to the four Proteſtations given in the ſeventh inſtant by the Duke of *Athole*, the Earl of *Buchan*, *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath*, and *Walter Stuart*, and in relation to another Proteſtation againſt the ſame given in the laſt *Sederunt* by the Earl of *Marchmount*.

And after reaſoning, the Lord *Balmerino* gave in a Proteſt againſt that given in the former *Sederunt* by the Earl of *Marchmount*, and took Inſtruments thereupon; And the Duke of *Hamilton*, the Duke of *Athole*, the Earls of *Errol*, *Mariſchal*, *Buchan*, *Eglington*, *Wigtoun*, *Galloway* & *Selkirk*, the Viſcounts of *Stormount* & *Kilſyth*, the Lords *Semple*, *Oliphant*, *Blantyre*, *Bargany* and *Kinnaird*, *George Lockhart* of *Carnwath*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, Mr. *William Cochran* of *Kilmaronnock*, Sir *Humphray Colquhoun* of *Luſs*, *Robert Rollo* of *Powhouſe*, *John Murray* of *Strowan*, Mr. *James Carnagie* of *Phinhaven*, *David Grahame* younger of *Fintrey*, *Alexander Mckye* of *Palgown*, *Alexander Edgar*, *Alexander Duff*, *Francis Moliſon*, *Archibald Sheils*, Mr. *John Lyon*, Mr. *John Carruthers*, *George Home* and Mr. *Robert Frazer* adhered thereto.

And after ſome further debate, it was agreed, that none of the above Proteſts be inſert at length in the Minuts, or printed, but that they be all recorded and inſert in the Records of Parliament.

Then the third Paragraph of the twenty ſecond Article of Union, beginning thus; *And that if Her Majeſty on or before the firſt day of* May *next*, &c, and ending with theſe Words: ‘ And that Parliaments may continue for ſuch time only as the preſent Parliament of *England* might have continued if the Union of ‘ the two Kingdoms had not been made, unleſs ſooner diſſolved by her Majeſty, was read.

And after reaſoning thereon, it was moved to add the following Clauſe thereto, viz. *And that the ſaid Parliament of* Great-Britain *ſhall meet and ſit once in three years, at leaſt in that part of* Great-Britain *now called* Scotland.

And after further debate, there were two ſtates of a Vote offered, the Firſt in theſe terms; *Approve the third Paragraph of the twenty ſecond Article*, or *not*: And the ſecond in theſe terms, *Add the above Clauſe*, or *not*; And after reaſoning which ſhould be the ſtate of the Vote, it was put to the Vote *Firſt*, or *Second*.

And it was agreed, that the Members Votes ſhall be marked, and that the Liſt of their Names as they vote be Printed and Recorded, and the Lord Chancellor was allowed to have his Name printed and recorded as a Voter for the firſt State, and if that ſhall carry, as voting among the Approvers.

Then the Vote was put, *Firſt*, or *Second*, and it carried *Firſt*: Thereafter the Vote was put, *Approve the third Paragraph of the twenty ſecond Article*, or *not*; and it carried *Approve*.

Then the reſt of the twenty ſecond Article of Union was read, and after ſome reaſoning and reading of the Oaths to which it relates: An Overture was given in for an additional Clauſe for explaining the Word L*imitation* mentioned in the Oath appointed to be taken by *Satute* 13. *W.* 3. *Cap.* 6.

And another Overture was given in, for exeeming perſons in any Office or Imployments in *Scotland*, from taking the Oath of Abjuration mentioned in the ſaid Article.

And a third Overture for a Clauſe, *That ſo long as the Act appointing a Sacramental Teſt ſhall continue in force in* England, *all perſons in publick Truſt within the Limits of* Scotland, *ſhall ſwear and ſign a* Formula *thereto ſubjoyned, in manner and under the Penalties therein mentioned.*

And after reading the ſaid three Overtures, and reaſoning thereon, a Vote was ſtated; *Approve of the twenty ſecond Article of Union as explained*, or *not.*

But before voting, it was agreed, That notwithſtanding of the ſaid Vote, and that the Article ſhall be thereby approven, it ſhall neverthleſs be intire and free thereafter to proceed on the ſaids Overtures next S*ederunt* of Parliament, and to the Parliament to give their Sentiments thereon.

And it being thereupon moved to delay the Vote for approving the Article till next *Sederunt.*

A previous Vote was ſtated; *Proceed*, or *Delay*: And it carried *Proceed.*

Then the Vote was ſtated, *Approve*, or *not.*

But before voting it was agreed, that the Members Votes be marked, and that the Liſt of their Names as they vote be Printed and Recorded, and the Lord Chancellor was allowed to have his Name printed and recorded as an Approver.

Thereafter the Vote was put, *Approve the twenty ſecond Article as explained*, or *not*; and it carried *Approve.*

Then the Lord Chancellour by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

B*Y Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

JA. MURRAY, *Cls. Reg.*

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Vote 3d. 9th. January, 1707.

IN the Parliament the ninth day of *January* 1707 Years, a Vote was ſtated, *Approve the 22d, Article of Union, as explained,* or Not; and it carried, *Approve.* And the liſt of the Members Names as they Voted, *Approve,* or, *Not* (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

APPROVERS.

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor allowed to be printed amongſt the Approvers by ſpecial Order of Parliament.
Marquis of Montroſe *P. S.* C.
Duke of Argyll
Marquis of Tweeddale
Marquis of Lothian

Earls.

Mar *Sec.*
Loudcun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Belcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Marchmount
Hyndford
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcount of Duplin

Lords.

Forbes
Elphingſton
Roſs
Torphichen
Banff
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice Clerk.

Of the Barons.

sir Robert Dickſon *of* Innerak
William Nisbet *of* Dirletoun
John Cockburn *Younger of* Ormiſtoun
Sir John *S*wintoun *of* That Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray *of* Bowhill
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
sir John Johnſton *of* Weſterhall
Mr. William Stewart *of* Caſtleſtewart
Mr. John Stewart *of S*orbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffen
Mr. Robert Stewart of Tillicoultry
sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
John Halden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
William Seton *Younger of* Pitmedden
Alexander Grant *Younger of* That Ilk
Mr. John Campbell *of* Mammore
sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
Alexander Abercrombie *of* Glaſſoch
Alexander Douglaſs *of* Egliſhaw.

Of the Burrows.

sir Patrick Johnſton
Lieut. Coll. John Erskin
Mr. William Carmichael
sir David Dalrymple
Mr. James Bethun
Daniel Campbell

NOES.

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Atho

Earls.

Crawford
Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Caithneſs
Wigtoun
Galloway
Selkirk
Viſcount of Stormount
Viſcount of Kilſyth

Lords.

Saltoun
Semple
Balmerino
Blantyre
Beilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart *of* Carnwath
Sir John Lawder *of* Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair *of* Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home *of* Rentoun
William *Baillie of* Lamingtoun
John Sinclair *Younger of* Stevenſon
John sharp *of* Hoddam
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon *of* Iſle
Sir Hugh Cathcart *of* Carletoun
John *Brisban Younger of Bi*ſhoptoun
Mr. VVilliam Cochran *of* Kilmaronock
sir Humphrey Colquhoun *of* Luſs
John Grahame *of* Killearn
John Murray *of* Strowan
John Forbes *of* Colloden
David *Bethun of B*alfour
Major Henry *Balfour of* Dunboig,
Mr. Patrick Lyon *of* Auchterhouſe,
Mr. James Carnagie *of* Phinhaven
David Grahame *Younger of Fintrie*
James Ogilvie *Younger of Boynd*
William Maxwell *of* Cardineſs
Alexander *Mckye of* Palgown
James *S*inclair *of* Stempſter
sir Henry Innes *Younger of* That Ilk
Mr. Alexander Abercrombie *of* Tillibody.

Of the Burrows.

Alexander Robertſon
VValter Stewart
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
George Brodie
Mr. John Carruthers

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2d Vote 9th Jan. 1707.

IN the Parliament the 9. of *January* 1707, a Vote was ſtated, in theſe Terms, *Approve of the Third Paragraph of the 22d Article of Union,* Yea or Not, and it carried *Approve* ; And the Liſt of the Members Names as they Voted, Approve or Not, (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor *allowed to be Printed amongſt the Approvers by ſpecial Order of Parliament.*
Marq:of MontroſeP.S.C.
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian.
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Eglingtoun
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmont
Hyndfoord
Cromarty
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcount
Duplin.
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs of Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell ofCeſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John *P*ringle of Haining
Will. Moriſon of Preſtoungrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *D*ouglaſs of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant yor. of that Ilk
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor. of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of *P*itcurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
Mr. James Dunbar yor. of Hemprigs
Sir Henry Innes younger of that Ilk
*A*lexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
John Scrimſour
*L*ieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John *M*uir
James Scot
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
William Coltran
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
Mr. James Bethun
John Urquhart
Sir James *S*teuart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *D*alrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* I. P. D. P.

N O E'S

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marqueſs of Annandale
Earls
Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Caithneſs
Wigtoun
Galloway
Selkirk.
Viſcounts
Stormont
Kilſyth.
Lords
Saltoun
Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil
Kinnaird.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart of Carnwath
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
William Baillie of *L*amingtoun
James Hamilton of Aikenhead
John Sharp of Hoddam
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
Sir Hugh Cathcart of Carletoun
John Brisbane younger of Biſhoptoun
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
John Grahame of Killairn
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe
John Murray of Strowan
David Bethun of Balfour
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie of *P*hinhaven
*D*avid Grahame younger of Fintrie
James Ogilvie younger of Boynd
Alexander Mckye of Palgoun
James Sinclair of *S*tempſter.

Of the Burrows.

Alexander Robertſon
Walter *S*tuart
Alexander Watſon
*A*lexander Edgar
Alexander *D*uff
Francis Moliſon
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
John Hutchiſon
Archibald Sheils
Mr. John Lyon
*M*r John Carruthers
George Home
Mr. Robert Frazer.

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar.* *I. P. D. P.*

Firſt Vote, 9. Jan. 1707. IN the Parliament the *9th* of *January* 1707, There were two ſeveral ſtates of a Vote offered, the Firſt in theſe Terms, *Approve of the Third Paragraph of the Twenty Second Article of Union, or not* ; And the Second in theſe Terms, *Add the Clauſe following,* viz. *And that the Parliament of* Great-Britain *ſhall Meet and Sit once in three Years at leaſt in that part of* Great-Britain *now called* Scotland, *Yea or Not* ; Then the Vote was put, which of the two ſhall be the ſtate of the Vote, *Firſt or Second*, and it carried *Firſt* : And the *Liſt* of the Members Names as they Voted, *Firſt* or *Second*, (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

FIRST

Of the Nobility.

TheLord Chancellor allowed to be printed amongſt thoſe who Voted Firſt by ſpecial Order of *Parliament.*
Marquis of Montroſe *P. S. C.*
Duke of Argyll
Marquis of Tweeddale
Marquis of Lothian.
Earls.
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Glencairn
Eglintoun
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Belcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmount
Hyndford
Cromarty
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther, Dep.*
Delorain
Hay.
Viſcount
Duplin.
Lords.
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs *of* Arniſtoun
Sir Robert Dickſon *of* Inverask
William Nisbet *of* Dirletoun
John Cockburn *Younger of* Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swinton *of* That Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell *of* Ceſnock
Sir William Ker *of* Greenhead
Archibald Dowglaſs *of* Cavers
William Bennet *of* Grubbet
Mr. John Pringle *of* Haining
William Moriſon *of* Preſtongrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun *of* Weſterhall
William Dowglaſs *of* Dornock
Mr. William Steuart *of* Caſtleſtewart
Mr. John Steuart *of* Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery *of* Giffan
Mr. Robert Steuart *of* Tillicultrie
Sir Robert Pollock *of* That Ilk
John Halden *of* Glenagies
Mongo Grahame *of* Gorthie
Sir Thomas Burnet *of* Leyes
William Seton *Younger of Pit*medden
Alexander Grant younger of that Ilk
Mr. Æneas M^c^leod *of* Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell *of* Mammore
Sir James Campbell *of* Auchinbreck
James Campbell *Younger of* Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther *of* That Ilk
James Halyburton *of Pitcur*
Alexander Abercrombie *of Gla*ſſoch
James Dunbar *Younger of* Hemprigs
Alexander Douglaſs *of* Egliſhaw.

Of the Burrows.

John *Scrimſour*
Lieut. Coll: Jo. Areskine
John Muir
James *Scot*
Sir John Areskine
James *Spitle*
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halkett
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William *Sutherland*
Captain Danjel Macleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alves
Mr. James Bethun
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur *Seafield* cancellar. I. P. D. *P.*

SECOND.

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Athole
Marquis of Annandale.
Earls
Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Caithneſs
Wigtoun
Galloway
Selkirk.
Viſcounts
Stormount
Kilſyth.
Lords.
Saltoun
Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart *of* Carnwath
Sir John Lawder *of Fountainhall*
Andrew Fletcher *of* Saltoun
Sir Patrick Home *of* Rentoun
Sir Gilbert Eliot *of* Minto
William *Baillie of* Lamingtoun
James *Hamilton* of Aikenhead
Sir Hugh Cathcart *of* Carletoun
John Brisbane *Younger of* Biſhoptoun
Mr. William Cochran *of* Kilmaronock
John *Grahame* of Killairn
Robert Rollo *of* Powhouſe
Thomas Sharp *of* Houſtoun
Sir Patrick Murray *of* Auchtertyre
John *Murray of* Strowan
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
John Forbes of Culloden
David Bethun *of* Balfowr
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James *Carnagie of* Phinhaven
David Grahame *Younger of Fintrie*
James Ogilvie *Younger of* Boynd
Alexander Mckye *of* Palgown
James Sinclair *of* Stempſter.

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
Walter *Stuart*
Alexander Edgar
Alexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
Robert *Scot*
Robert Kellie
John Hutcheſon
Archibald Scheilds
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dowgal Steuart
Mr. John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayn
Mr. Robert Fraſer.

Sic ſubſcribitur *Seafield* cancellar. I. P. D. P.

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Friday 10. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read*;

ADdreſs of Citizens, Burgeſſes, Trades, and other Inhabitants within the Town of *Perth*, Subſcribers of the ſame, againſt an Union with *England* in the Terms of the Articles, given in and read.

Then the Overture for Exeeming Perſons in any Office or Imployment in *Scotland*, from taking the Oath of Abjuration mentioned in the twenty ſecond Article of Union, was again read; And, after ſome Reaſoning thereon, the Overture was paſt from.

Thereafter, the Overture for an Additional Clauſe to the ſaid twenty ſecond Article for Explaining the Word *Limitation* mentioned in the Oath appointed to be taken by *Stat.* 13. *W.* 3. *Cap.* 6. was again read in theſe Terms, *Likeas it is Declared, That, by the Word* Limitation *in the Oath mentioned in the above Article, is only underſtood Entail of the Succeſſion, and not the Conditions of Government upon the Succeſſor; And that all Perſons of* Scotland, *who may be lyable to take the ſaid Oath, Swear it in that Senſe only.*

And, after Reaſoning thereon, the Vote was put, *Add the ſaid Clauſe, or Not,* And it carried, *Not.*

Then,the third Overture for a Clauſe to be added to the ſaid twenty ſecond Article mentioned in the Minuts of the laſt *Sederunt*, was again read in theſe Terms, *And further,it is Agreed,That ſo long as that part of the* 2d. Act,Anno 25. Ch. 2d. *Appointing a Sacramental Teſt ſhall ſtand, and continue in force in* England, *all Perſons in Publick Truſt, Civil or Military, within the Limits of* Scotland, *ſhall Swear and Sign the* Formula *under-written, within ſix Moneths after the Commencement of the Union: And all who ſhall be Admitted to any Publick Truſt thereafter, ſhall, before Exerciſing their ſaid Office of Truſt, Swear and Subſcribe the ſame, to be Adminiſtred by the Lords of Privy Council, or any one of them, under the like Penalties and Diſabilities, as are provided by the foreſaid Act made in the Parliament of* England.

Follows the *Formula.* I A. B. *Do ſincerely and ſolemnly Declare, in the preſence of* GOD, *That I owne the Preſbyterian Government of the Church, as by Law Eſtabliſhed in* Scotland, *to be a lawful Government of the Church; And that I ſhall never, directly nor indirectly, endeavour the Subverſion thereof, nor any Alteration in the Worſhip, Diſcipline, or Government of the ſaid Church, as by Law Eſtabliſhed.* So help me GOD.

And, after Reaſoning thereon, a Vote was ſtated, *Add the Clauſe, or Not*: But, before Voting, it was agreed, that the Members Votes ſhall be marked, and that a Liſt of their Names, as they Vote, be Printed and Recorded.

Then the Vote was put, *Add the Clauſe, or Not*, and carried, *Not.*

Thereafter, the twenty third Article of Union was read: And, after Reaſoning thereon, the further Debate was Adjourned till next *Sederunt* of Parliament, to be then proceeded upon previous to all other Buſineſs, except a Proclamation to be then brought in, for prorogating the Dyet for the chooſing of Collectors and Clerks of the Supply in the ſeveral Shires of this Kingdom, and continuing the laſt Collectors and Clerks for the Term of *Candleſmaſs* next.

The Committee appointed to meet to morrow at Ten of the Clock in the uſual place.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Monday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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This belongs to MINUTS 56.

IN the Parliament the 10*th* Day of *January* 1707, A Vote was ſtated in theſe Terms, " Add a Clauſe to the Twenty Se- 'cond Article of Union in the following Terms, That ſo long as that part of the ſecond Act *Anno* 25. *Ch.* 2*d.* appointing a Sa- '*cramental Teſt* ſhall ſtand in Force in *England*, all Perſons bearing Office within the Limits of *Scotland*, either Civil or Mi- 'litary, ſhall ſwear and ſign a *Formula* ſubjoyned to the ſaid Clauſe, and inſert in the Minuts of this Date, yea, or not; 'and it crried Not. And the Liſt of the Members as they voted, Add, or Not, (Ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

NOE'S.

Of the Nobility.

Marq.of Montroſe *P.*S.C.
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*

Earls

Mar *Sec.*
Lowdcun *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Morton
Glencairn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Northeſque
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmount
Cromarty
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.

Lords

Forbes
Saltoun
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
John Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Pringle of Haining
William Moriſon of Preſtoungrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William Douglaſs of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr, John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. William Dalrymple of Glenmuir
Mr. John Montgomery of Wrae
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
William Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant younger of that Ilk
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M^c^leod of Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell younger of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of Pitcurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
Alexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw.

Of the Burrows.

John Scrimſour
James Scot
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Captain Daniel M^c^leod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clark
Mr. Dougal Steuart
John Roſs
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
John Allardyce
William Alvis
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Rorie Mackenzie
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Fraſer.
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

ADD

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Marqueſs of Lothian.
Marqueſs of Annandale

Earls

Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Eglintoun
Caithneſs
Wigtoun
Galloway
Selkirk
Hyndford

Viſcounts

Stormont
Kilſyth.

Lords

Semple
Oliphant
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Kinnaird

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs of Arniſtoun
George Lockhart of Carnwath
Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
Sir Patrick Hume of Rentoun
Sir Gilbert Eliot of Minto
William Baillie of Lamingtoun
John Sinclair younger of Stevenſon
James Hamilton of Aikenhead
John Sharp of Hodam
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Sir Hugh Cathcart of Carletoun
John Brisban younger of Biſhopton
Mr. William Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe
John Murray of Strowan
Hugh Roſs of Kilravock
John Forbes of colloden
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeillor
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
Alexander Mckye of Palgoun
James Sinclair of Stempſter
Sir Henry Innes younger of that Ilk
Mr. Alexr. Abercrombie of Tillibody

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
Robert Inglis
Walter Steuart
Hugh Montgomery
John *Mure*
Alexander Edgar
Francis Moliſon
Walter Scot
William Coltran
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
Archibald Sheils
George Brodie
George Spence
Mr. John Caruthers
George Home
John Bayne.
Sir James Steuart.

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Monday 13. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Roll Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

WArrand granted for citing the Creditors of the Burgh of *Dundee*, in order to the Magiſtrats and Town-Council of the ſaid Burgh their obtaining Protection.

Proclamation for prorogating the Dyet for the chooſing of Collectors and Clerks of Supply, and continuing the laſt Collectors and Clerks for the Term of *Candlemaſs* next, read; And after ſome Amendments, it was voted and approven.

Then the twenty third Article of Union was again read, and after ſome reaſoning, an Overture was given in for adding a Clauſe thereto in theſe Terms, *With this expreſs Proviſion, That none of the Peers of* Scotland *ſhall have perſonal Protection within* Scotland *for any Debt owing before the Commencement of the Union.*

As alſo another Overture was given in for adding a Clauſe thereto in theſe terms; *That all the Peers of that part of* Great-Britain *now called* Scotland, *qualified according to Law, ſhall after the Union have Right to ſit* Covered *in the Houſe of Peers of* Great-Britain, *notwithſtanding that the Right to give Vote therein belongs only to the ſaid Sixteen Peers who are to be ſummoned in the manner appointed by the preceeding Article.*

And after reaſoning upon the ſaid two Overtures, and upon two ſeparate Motions, the Firſt in relation *to allowing all the Peers of* Scotland *to ſit upon the Tryal of the Peers of* Britain; And the other in relation to *their Precedency according to their Patents:* The Vote was ſtated in theſe terms, *Approve the 23 Article of Union,* or *alter, reſerving intire the Conſideration of the above two Overtures, and whether the the ſamen ſhall be added to the Article,* and it carried Approve.

Then the firſt Overture for the Clauſe, in relation to Perſonal Protection, was again read; and after Debate, it was put to the Vote, *Add the Clauſe*, or *not:* And it carried *not.*

Thereafter, the ſecond Overture, or a Clauſe, *in relation to all the Peers of* Scotland, *their ſitting covered in the Houſe of* Peers *of* Great-Britain, was again read; and after reaſoning, the Vote was put, *Add the Clauſe*, or *not.*

But before Voting, it was agreed, that the Members Votes ſhall be marked, and that the Liſt of their Names, as they vote, be Printed and Recorded.

Then it was put to the Vote; *Add the Clauſe*, or *not*, and it carried, *not.*

Then the *Lord* Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of* Parliament, *Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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IN the Parliament the 13*th* Day of *January* 1707,years, A Vote was ſtated in theſe Terms, " Add the following Clauſe to the ' 23*d.* Article of Union, *viz.* That all the Peers of that Part of *Great-Britain*, now called *Scotland*, Qualified according to Law, ' ſhall after the Union have Right to ſit Covered in the Houſe of Peers of *Great-Britain*, notwithſtanding that the Right to ' give Vote therein, belongs only to the ſaid ſixteen Peers, who are to be ſummoned in the manner appointed by the preceeding ' Article, yea, or not; and it carried Not. And the Liſt of the Members as they voted, Add, or not (Ordered to be Printed) ' is as follows

NOE'S.

Of the Nobility.

Marq.of Montroſe *P.S.C.*
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of Lothian.
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Rothes
Morton
Glencairn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Findlater
Leven
Kintore
Marchmount
Hyndford
Cromarty
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.
Viſcount
Dupline.
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Banff
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

John Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Eliot of Minto
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Mr. John Pringle of Haining
William Moriſon of Preſtoungrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple of Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
Mr. John Montgomery of Wrae
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
William Seton younger of Pitmedden
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell younger of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of Piteurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
Alexander Mckye of Palgoun
Alexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw.
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
John Scrimſour
Lieut. Col. John Areskine
John *Mure*
James Scot
Sir John Areskine
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Walter Scot
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
John Allardyce
William Alvis
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Rorie Mackenzie
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

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ADD

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Marqueſs of Annandale.
Earls
Errol
Mariſchal
Eglintoun
Abercorn
Galloway
Kilmarnock.
Viſcounts
Stormont
Kilſyth.
Lords
Saltoun
Balmerino
Blantyre
Cranſtoun
Elibank
Beilhaven
Colvill.

Of the Barons.

George Lockhart of Carnwath
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Hume of Rentoun
William Baillie of Lamingtoun
John Sinclair younger of Stevenſon
John Brisban younger of Biſhoptone
Mr. William Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
John Grahame of Killairn
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
David Bethun of Balfour
Major Henry Balfour of Dunboig
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeillor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie of Phinhaven
David Grahame younger of Fintrie.

Of the Burrows.

Alexander Robertſon
Alexander Edgar
Sir John Anſtruther
Alexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
John Hutcheſon
Mr. William Sutherland
Mr. John Lyon
George Brodie
Mr. John Caruthers
George Home
John Bayne.

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tueſday 14. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read* ;

THen the Twenty Fourth Article of Union was Read, whereupon a Memorial was given in for the Lyon King of Arms, in relation to his Precedency, which being Read, after Reaſoning, It was moved, That the Rank and Precedency of the Lyon King of Arms be left to Her Majeſty, and that next to theſe Words in the ſaid Article, viz. *and that the Quartering the Arms*, theſe other Words, viz. *and the Rank and Precedency of Lyon King of Arms of the Kingdom of* Scotland, be added.

And it being alſo moved, That his Rank ſhould be inſert in the ſaid Article, to be immediatly next after, *Garter principal King of Arms in* England, after Debate it was put to the Vote, add the above Words, ‘ That the Rank and Precedency be ‘ left to Her Majeſty, or inſert the Rank & Precedency, and it carried add the Words.

Which being accordingly added, there was another Clauſe offered to be added to the ſaid Twenty Fourth Article, in theſe Terms, ‘ And the Crown, Scepter, & ‘Sword of State, Records of Parliament, and all other Records, Rolls and Regiſters ‘ whatſomever both publick and private, general and particular, and Warrands ‘ thereof, continue to be keeped as they are, in that part of the United Kingdom, ‘ now called *Scotland*, and that they ſhall ſo remain in all time coming, notwithſtanding of the Union, which being Read, the ſame was agreed to be added, and was accordingly ſubjoyned, and the Article as amended read over.

Then the Vote was put, Approve of the Twenty Fourth Article of Union as amended, or not, and it carried Approve.

Petition *Alexander Baillie* Servitor to the Lord Regiſter, for a Gratification for his pains and Charges in putting the Records in Order, making Inventary Books, *&c.* Read, and agreed that the ſaid Petition be taken into Conſideration the firſt Sederunt for private Buſineſs.

Thereafter the Twenty Fifth Article of Union was Read, and after Reaſoning thereon, the Vote was put, Approve of the Twenty Fifth Article or Not, and it carried Approve.

*M*oved that a Dyet be appointed for conſidering the manner of electing the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* to the Parliament of *Great-Britain*, and agreed that the *M*otion be intire next Sederunt of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till the Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the *Proceedings* in *Parliament.*

Wedneſday 15. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

Draught of an Act Ratifying and Approving the Treaty of Union of the two Kingdoms of *Scotland* and *England*, given in and offered to be Read.

Whereupon it was moved that the Parliament ſhould firſt proceed to the Conſtitution of the manner of Electing the Repreſentatives for ***Scotland*** to the Parliament of *Great-Britain*, and either now to determine that matter, or to appoint a Dyet for that end.

And after Debate the Vote was ſtated, 'Proceed to the Ratification of the Treaty of Union, and Act for Security of the Proteſtant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government, or to the Conſtitution of the manner of Electing the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* to the Parliament of *Great-Britain.*

But before Voting, It was agreed, that in caſe it ſhall carry to proceed to the Ratification, the Parliament will immediatly after paſſing the Act of Ratification proceed to the Conſtitution of the manner of Electing the Repreſentatives for ***Scotland.***

Then the Vote was put, proceed to the Ratification or Conſtitution, and it carried Ratification.

Thereafter the Draught of the Act Ratifying, Approving and at length Narrating the Articles of Union as Enlarged, Explained and Amended, and the Act for Security of the Proteſtant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government, was Read.

And after ſome Diſcourſe, it was put to the Vote, Mark a firſt Reading on the *Act* or not, and it carried, Mark a firſt Reading; and accordingly a firſt Reading was marked thereon.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in *Parliament*

Thurſday 16. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

DRaught of the Act *Ratifying and Approving the Treaty of Union of the two Kingdoms of* Scotland *and* England, Read a ſecond time.

Then the Act *for Security of the Proteſtant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government,* which is inſert in and Ratifyed by the above Act, was touched with the Royal Scepter by Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner in the uſual manner.

Repreſentation and Petition of the Commiſſion of the General Aſſembly of the Church of *Scotland* given in and Read.

And after Reaſoning upon the Act and Repreſentation, the Vote was ſtated, *Approve the Act or Not.*

And before Voteing, It was agreed, That the Members Votes be marked, and that the Liſt of their Names as they Vote be printed and Recorded, and the Lord high Chancellor was allowed to have his Name Marked, Printed and Recorded as an Approver.

Likeas a Proteſt was given in, for the Duke of *Douglaſs*, and read in theſe Terms, ‘ We Underſubſcribers, Tutors, Teſtamentars to his Grace the Duke of *Douglaſs*, whereof three is a *Quorum*, in Name and Behalf of the ſaid Duke; *Foraſmuch* as his Grace the Duke of *Douglaſs*, and his Heirs, has by their Inveſtitures and Honours of the Eſtate of *Douglaſs* (in Conſideration of the Great and Faithful Services done and performed to this Crown and Kingdom by his Anceſtors) provided to them the Honour of Leading the Van of the Arms of *Scotland* in the day of Battel, the carrying of the Crown of *Scotland* in Proceſſions, and giving the firſt Vote in all Parliaments, Councils or Conventions in *Scotland*; And ſicklike by the Twentieth Article of the Union, all Heretable Offices are reſerved to the Owners as Rights of Property in the ſame manner as they are now enjoyned by the Laws of *Scotland*, notwithſtanding of this Treaty; Whereby his Graces foreſaid Offices and Priviledges, by Parity of Reaſon and Juſtice, ought to be preſerved : Yet ſeing the intire Union of the two Kingdoms will be attended with an Union of their Arms, Crowns and Councils, whereby his Graces Offices and Priviledges may ſeem to be of more difficult Explication, *His Graces* Tutors and Guardians, in his Pupillarity, do now, before the Treaty be ratifyed in this Parliament, judge it, indiſpenſibly, their Duty, for his Graces Intereſt, in his Name and theirs Underſubſcribers, as Tutors to him, with all Humility, to proteſt, That the ſaid Treaty may not in any

‘ ſort prejudge the foreſaid Honours and Priviledges belonging to his Grace and Succeſſors, which have been the Glorious Rewards and Marks of Honour to the Illuſtrious Families of *Douglaſs* and *Angus* for their Loyalty, Great and Faithful Services to the Crown and Kingdom of *Scotland*; and that this their Proteſt may be Received and Marked in the Minuts and Records of Parliament.

As alſo, another Proteſt was given in by the Duke of *Hamilton* in theſe Terms, ‘ Foraſmuch as there is a Proteſtation made in behalf of the Duke of *Douglaſs*, in relation to his Pretenſions of having the firſt Seat and Vote in Parliament, which Proteſtation being altogether Groundleſs; Therefore I *James* Duke of *Hamilton* do proteſt in the contrair, in regard that none of the ſaid Duke of *Douglaſs* his Predeceſſors has or enjoyed any ſuch Privilege ſince there were Dukes or Marquiſſes created in *Scotland*, and my Predeceſſors were dignified with Patents of Marquiſs and Duke ſucceſſively, long before he or his Predeceſſors had the ſame. ***Secondly***, ***William*** Earl of *Angus*, the ſaid Duke his Predeceſſor, did, upon the Fourth day of *June* one Thouſand ſix hundred and Thirty Three Years, Reſign all Right and Claim that he or his Predeceſſors or Succeſſors had or ſhould have to that Privilege of firſt ſitting and Voteing in Parliament, in His Majeſties hands; Which Reſignation is Regiſtrat in the Books of Parliament the Twentieth day of the ſaid Moneth of *June*, one Thouſand ſix Hundred and Thirty Three Years. *Thirdly*, I and my Predeceſſors have been in continual Poſſeſſion of having the firſt Seat, and of firſt Voteing in Parliament, and have been firſt called in the Rolls of Parliament paſt Memory of Man; And upon this proteſtation I take Inſtruments, and deſire the ſame to be inſert in the Records of Parliament.

And the ſeveral proteſters or In-givers took Inſtruments upon their reſpective proteſts.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve the Act Ratifying and Approving the Treaty of Union of the two Kingdoms of* Scotland *and England*, *Yea or Not*, and it carried *Approve*.

And the Act was thereafter Touched with the Royal Scepter by Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner in the uſual manner.

The Committee appointed to meet to *Morrow* at Nine of the Clock.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Monday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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This belongs to MINUTS 60.

IN the Parliament the 16 of *January* 1707, a Vote was put, *Approve of the Act Ratifying and Approving the Treaty of Union of the two Kingdoms of* Scotland *and* England, *Yea* or *Not*, and it carried *Approve*: And the *Liſt* of the Members Names as they Voted, *Approve* or *Not*, (order ed to be Printed) is as follows.

APPROVERS

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor allowed to be Printed amongſt the Approvers by ſpecial Order of Parliament.

Marq: of Montroſe P.S.C.
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian.

Earls

Mar *Sec.*
Sutherland
Rothes
Morroun
Glencairn
Abercorn
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Lawderdale
Wemyſs
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Northesk
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Marchmont
Cromarty
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Delorain
Ilay.

Viſcount

Duplin.

Lords

Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
*L*ord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

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Of the Barons.

Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Mr. John *P*ringle of Haining
Will. Moriſon of Preſtoungrange
Alexander Horſeburgh of that Ilk
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *D*ouglaſs of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William *D*alrymple of Glenmuir
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
Mr. John Montgomerie of Wrae.
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant yor. of that Ilk
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas M'leod of Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor. of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of *P*itcurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
Mr. James Dunbar yor. of Hemprigs
*A*lexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

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Of the Burrows.

John Scrimſour
*L*ieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John *M*uir
James Scot
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alvis
Mr. James Bethun
Mr. Rorie M'kenzie
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *D*alrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

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NOE'S

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Marqueſs of Annandale.

Earls

Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Caithneſs
Wigtoun
Galloway

Viſcounts

Stormont
Kilſyth.

Lords

Saltoun
Semple
Oliphant
Balmerino
Blantyre
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvil.
Kinnaird.

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Of the Barons.

Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
Sir Gilbert Eliot of *Minto*
William Baillie of *L*amingtoun
John *S*inclair yor. of Stevenſon
James Hamilton of Aikenhead
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
Sir Hugh Cathcart of Carletoun
John Brisbane younger of Biſhoptoun
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
*S*ir John Houſtoun of that Ilk
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe
Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
John Murray of Strowan
Alexander Gordon of Pitlurg
John Forbes of Culloden
*D*avid Beathun of Balfour
Major Henry Balfour of Dunboig
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeilor
Mr. Patrick Lyon of Auchterhouſe
Mr. James Carnagie of *P*hinhaven
*D*avid Grahame younger of Fintrie
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
Alexander Mckye of Palgoun
*J*ames Sinclair of *S*tempſter
Sir Henry Innes younger of that Ilk
Mr. George Mackenzie of *I*nchcoulter

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Alexander Robertſon
Walter Stuart
Hugh Montgomery
Alexander Edgar
*A*lexander Duff
Francis Moliſon
valter Scot
Robert Scot
Robert Kellie
John Hutcheſon
Archibald Sheils
Mr. John Lyon
George Brodie
George Spence
*S*ir David Cuninghame
*M*r John Carruthers
George Home
John Bayne
Mr. Robert Frazer.

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Monday 20. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read*;

UPon Reading of the Minuts, it was Moved to inſert therein the Petitory part of the Repreſentation and Petition of the Commiſſion of the General Aſſembly of the Church of *Scotland*, mentioned in the ſaid Minuts. And after Debate thereon, the Vote was ſtated, *Inſert the Petitory part of the ſaid Repreſentation and Petition*, Yea, *or* Not.

And after further Debate, the Duke of *Hamilton* made a Motion for a State of a Vote, wherein the petitory part of the ſaid Petition was repeated; But that State of the Vote being reclaimed againſt, as yielding the Queſtion, the Duke of *Hamilton* proteſted, *That he having made a Motion, and being ſeconded, it was againſt the Rule of* Parliament *to refuſe a* Vote; *and to inſert his Motion in the Minuts.*

Then the Vote was put, *Inſert the Petitory part of the above Repreſentation and Petition in the Minuts*, Yea *or* Not. And it carried *Not.*

Thereafter it was moved, That conform to the Minuts of the fifteenth of *January* inſtant, the Parliament proceed to conſider the manner of electing the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* to the Parliament of *Great-Britain*: Whereupon a Reſolve was given in and read in theſe Terms, "Reſolved that the 'ſixteen Peers, and fourty five Commiſſioners for Shires and Burrows, who are 'to be the Members to the firſt Parliament of *Great-Britain*, for and on the 'part of *Scotland*, be choſen out of this preſent Parliament: And that 'the Members ſo choſen, be the Members of the firſt Parliament of *Great-Britain*, if Her Majeſty ſhall declare on or before the firſt day of *May* next, 'that it is expedient that the Lords and Commons of the preſent Parliament 'of *England*, be the Members of the firſt Parliament of *Great-Britain*, for 'and on the part of *England*.

And after Reaſoning thereon, the further Debate was adjourned till next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till the Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and* Succeſſors *of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the *Proceedings* in *Parliament*.

Tueſday 21. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read ;

THE Earl of *Stair* Swore the Oath of Allegiance, ſubſcribed the ſame with the Aſſurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

Then the Reſolve inſert in the former Days Minuts, anent chooſing the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* to the firſt Parliament of *Great-Britain*, was again Read.

And after Reaſoning thereon, an Overture was given in for eſtabliſhing a certain way for Electing the Repreſentatives of *Scotland* to the Parliament of *Great-Britain* in all time coming, in the Terms of the Treaty of Union, which was Read; And thereafter another Overture was offered for an Act for choiſing the Sixty One *M*embers to Repreſent *Scotland* in the Parliament of *Great-Britain* ; as alſo a Reſolve was given in and Read, 'That previous to all other Buſineſs the Parliament proceed to determine the manner of Electing the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* to the Parliament of *Great-Britain*, and to determine the Number and *Quota* of Barons and Burrows.

And after debate the Vote was ſtated, *Approve the Reſolve inſert in the former days Minuts Yea or Not*,

But before Voteing the Duke of *Hamilton* gave in a Proteſtation in theſe Terms; 'I *James* Duke of *Hamilton* do hereby Proteſt for my ſelf, and in Name of all thoſe who ſhall adhere to this my Proteſtation, againſt the Electing by this preſent Parliament the Sixteen Peers and Fourty Five Barons and Burrows, who are to Repreſent *Scotland* in the firſt Parliament of *Great-Britain*, as inconſiſtent with the whole Tenor of the Twenty Second Article of the Treaty of Union, and contrair to the expreſs Words thereof, whereby it is provided, that after the Time and Place of the *M*eeting of the ſaid Parliament, is appointed by Her Majeſties Proclamation, which Time ſhall not be leſs than Fifty Days after the Proclamation a Write ſhall be immediatly iſſued under the Great-Seal of *Great-Britain*, directed to the Privy Council of *Scotland* for Summoning the Sixteen Peers, and for Electing Fourty Five *M*embers, by whom *Scotland* is to be Repreſented in the Parliament of *Great-Britain* ; And further as utterly Subverſive of the Right of Election competent to the Barons and Burrows of this Kingdom, and deſires this my Proteſtation may be inſert in the Minuts and Records of Parliament, and thereupon takes Inſtruments.

And Mr. *William Cochran* of *Kilmaronock* gave in a Proteſtation in theſe Terms, 'I Mr. *William Cochran* of *Kilmaronock* do proteſt in my own Name, and in Name of all thoſe that ſhall Adhere to this my Proteſtation, That the Electing of Members to Repreſent this part of the United Kingdom in the Parliament of *Great-Britain*, out of this preſent Parliament, by the Members of this Houſe, is contrary to, and inconſiſtent with the Birth-rights and Privileges of the Barons and Burrows of *Scotland*, that it is contrary to the principles of common Law and diverſe Acts of Parliament, and directly oppoſite and contradictory to the expreſs Words and meaning of two ſeveral Paragraphs of the Twenty Two Article of the Treaty of Union

‘ betwixt *Scotland* and *England*, ſo lately Ratified in this Houſe, and I deſire this my ‘ Proteſtation may be inſert in the Minuts, and Recorded in the Books of Parliament, ‘ upon which I take Inſtruments.

And after Reading of the above Proteſtations, each of the ſaid Proteſters took Inſtruments upon their reſpective Proteſtations, and adhered to the Proteſtation given in by the other; and it was agreed that the Members Votes be marked, and that the Liſt of their Names as they Vote be Printed and Recorded, and that at calling the Rolls the Adherers to the above proteſts be alſo marked.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve the above Reſolve inſert in the former Days Minuts or Not*, and it carried *Approve*; and the Earl of *Errol*, the Earl *Mariſchal*, the Earl of *Buchan*, the Earl of *Eglingtoun* and the Earl of *Galloway*, The Viſcount of *Kilſyth*, The Lord *Sempill*, the Lord *Balmerino*, the Lord *Blantyre*, the Lord *Bargany*, the Lord *Beilhaven*, and the Lord *Colvil*, Sir *John Lauder* of *Fountainhal*, *Andrew Fletcher* of *Saltoun*, Sir *Robert Sinclair* of *Longformacus*, *John* Brisban younger of *Biſhoptoun*, Sir *Humphrey Colquhoun* of *Luſs*, *John* Grahame of *Killearn*, *Robert Rollo* of *Powhouſe*, *Thomas Sharp* of *Houſtoun*, Sir *Thomas Burnet* of *Leys*, Sir *David Ramſay* of *Balmain*, *John Forbes* of *Culloden*, Mr. *Thomas Hope* of *Rankeillor*, David Grahame younger of Fintry, *Alexander Mckye* of *Palgown*, *James Sinclair* of *Stempſter*, Mr. *James Dunbar* younger of *Hemprigs*, Sir *Henry Innes* younger of that Ilk, Mr. *George Mackenzie* of *Inchcoulter*, *Alexander Edgar*, *James Scot*, *Francis* Molliſon, *Robert Scot*, *John Hutcheſon*, *Archbald Shiells*, Mr. *John Lyon*, George *Brodie* and Mr. *John Carruthers* Adhered to both the above two Proteſtations.

Thereafter an Overture given in and Read, for appointing the manner of Electing the Peers of *Scotland* to the Parliament of *Great-Britain*, to be by dividing the Peerage into Four ſeveral Claſſes, out of which they are to be choſen, with ſome regard to the ſeveral Ranks of Peers, in manner mentioned in the ſaid Overture.

And after Reaſoning thereon, the further debate was Adjourned till next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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IN the Parliament the 21*ſt* Day of *January* 1707 years, A Vote was ſtated Approve of the Reſolve inſert in the former Days Minuts, anent the Choiſing the Sixteen Peers, and Fourty Five Commiſſioners for Shires and Burghs, who are to be Members for *Scotland* to the firſt Parliament of *Great-Britain*, out of this preſent Parliament, yea, or Not ; and it carried Approve. And the Liſt of the Members Names as they Voted, Approve of the ſaid Reſolve, or Not (Ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

APPROVERS.

Of the Nobility.

Marq.of Montroſe P.S.C.
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian.
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Crawford
Sutherland
Rothes
Morton
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Wyemſs
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Northeſque
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmount
Hyndford
Stair
Hoptoun
Ilay.
Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Torphichen
Fraſer
Banff
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
John Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Pringle of Haining
William Moriſon of Preſtoungrange
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. William Dalrymple of Glenmuir
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk
Mr. John Montgomery of Wrae
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
William Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant younger of that Ilk
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell younger of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
James Halyburton of Pitcurr
Alexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw.
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
John Scrimſour
Lieut. Col.John Areskine
John *Mure*
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halket
Sir James Smollet
Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Sir Hugh Dalrymple
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alvis
Mr. James Bethun
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. George Dalrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

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NOE'S.

Of the Nobility.

Duke of Hamilton
Earls
Errol
Mariſchal
Buchan
Eglintoun
Galloway
Kilmarnock.
Viſcounts
Stormont
Kilſyth.
Lords
Saltoun
Semple
Balmerino
Blantyre
Cranſtoun
Bargany
Beilhaven
Colvill.

Of the Barons.

Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir Patrick Hume of Rentoun
Sir Gilbert Eliot of Minto
William Baillie of Lamingtoun
John Sinclair younger of Stevenſon
John Brisban younger of Biſhopton
Mr. William Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
Sir John Houſton of that Ilk
John Grahame of Killairn
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe
Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
Sir David Ramſay of Balmain
John Forbes of Colloden
Sir Kenneth Mackenzie
Mr. Æneas Mcleod of Cadboll
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeillor
David Grahame younger of Fintrie.
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
Alexander Mckye of Palgoun
James Sinclair of Stempſter
Mr. Ja. Dumbar younger of Hemprigs
Sir Henry Innes younger of that Ilk
Mr. Alexr. Abercrombie of Tillibody
Mr. George *Mackenzie* of Iochcoulter.

Of the Burrows.

Robert Inglis
Walter Steuart
Hugh Montgomery
Alexander Edgar
James Scot
Sir John Anſtruther
Francis Moliſon
William Coltran
Robert Scot
John Hutcheſon
Archibald Sheils
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dougal Steuart
George Brodie
Mr. John Caruthers
Mr. Rorie Mackenzie
Mr. Robert Fraſer.

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in *Parliament*

Wedneſday 22. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

WArrand granted for citing the Creditors of *John Davie* Brewer in *Pleaſants*, in order to his obtaining Protection.

Thereafter the three ſeveral Overtures and Reſolve mentioned in the former days *Minuts*, relating to the way of Electing the Repreſentatives for *Scotland*, to the Parliament of *Great-Britain*, was again read.

And after reaſoning thereon, the Vote was put, *Whether the Sixteen Peers who are to be Repreſentatives for* Scotland *in the ſaid Parliament ſhall e ſent by Rotation, or by Election, and it carried, by Election.*

Then it was moved, That it be conſidered what way the Election ſhall be; whether by Bal-loting, or by an open Election, and after debate hereon, the Vote was put, *Whether it ſhall be by open Election, or by Bal-oting, and it carried, by open Election.*

Thereafter moved to proceed to conſider what proportions the Barons and Burrows ſhall have of the Fourty Five Members who are to ſit in the Houſe of Commons of *Great-Britain*, and after reaſoning thereon, the further debate was adjourned till next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

The Committee appointed to meet to Morrow at Nine of the Clock.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Friday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Friday 24. January 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Roll Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THen the Debate mentioned in the former days Minuts was reſumed, anent what Proportions the Barons and Burrows ſhall have of the fourty five Members that are to ſit in the Houſe of Commons of *Great Britain.*

And thereupon a Clauſe was offered to be inſert in the Act, regulating the manner of electing the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* in theſe Terms; 'And Her Majeſty with Advice and Conſent foreſaid, *Statutes* and Ordains, that Thirty ſhall be the Number of the Barons, and Fifteen the Number of the Burrows, to repreſent this part of the united Kingdom in the Houſe of Commons of *Great Britain*; And that no Peer, nor the eldeſt Son of any Peer can be choſen to repreſent either Shire or Burgh of this part of the united Kingdom in the ſaid Houſe of Commons.

And after debate upon the firſt part of the ſaid Clauſe, the Vote was ſtated, *If the Number ſhall be Thirty for the Barons, and Fifteen for the Burrows*, Yea or *Not.*

But before voting the Earl of *Cromerty* gave in a Proteſtation in the Terms following, viz. 'I *George* Earl of *Cromerty* do proteſt, that nothing that ſhall be enacted as to the Shire of *Cromerty* their being adjoyned to any other Shire, as to the Method or Manner of Electing of Commiſſioners to the Parliament of *Great Britain*, ſhall infer any Derogation to the Priviledges of that Shire, or to my Right as heretable Sheriff thereof, and took Inſtruments thereupon.

Thereafter the Vote was put, *if the Number ſhall be Thirty for the Barons, and Fifteen for the Burrows*, Yea, *or* Not; and it carried *Yea.*

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Monday* next at Ten a Clock.

BY Order of his Grace James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray of Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS
Of the *Proceedings* in *Parliament.*

Monday 27. January 1707.

Prayer's ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THen the ſecond part of the Overture mentioned in the former days Minuts was again read in theſe terms; *And that no Peer, nor the eldeſt Son of any Peer can be choſen to repreſent either Shire or Burgh of this part of the united Kingdom in the ſaid houſe of Commons.*

And after Debate thereon, another Clauſe was offered in theſe terms; Declaring always; ‘ That None ſhall elect, nor be elected to Repreſent a Shire or ‘ Burgh in the Parliament of *Great-Britain* from this part of the united Kingdom, except ſuch as are now capable by the Laws of this Kingdom to ‘ elect or be elected as Commiſſioners for Shire or Burgh to the ſaid Parlia- ‘ ment.

And after further reaſoning thereon, the vote was ſtated; *Approve of the firſt Clauſe,* or *of the Second.*

But before voting, it was agreed, that the votes be Marked, and that a Liſt of the Members Names as they vote be Printed and recorded, and the Lord Chancellor was allowed to have his Name Printed and Recorded amongſt thoſe who voted for the ſecond Clauſe.

Then the vote was put, Aprove of the *Firſt Clauſe,* or *Second;* And it carried *Second.*

Thereafter moved, that the Parliament proceed to conſider, in what manner the ſeveral Shires of this Kingdom ſhall chooſe the Thirtie Members appointed to repreſent them in the houſe of Commons of *Great-Britain;* As alſo, in what manner the ſeveral Burrows ſhall chooſe the Fifteen Members appointed to repreſent them in the ſaid houſe of Commons.

And after ſome Diſcourſe thereon, the further Conſideration thereof was delayed till next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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IN the Parliament the 27*th.* of *January* 1707 Years, There were Two ſeveral Clauſes offered to be inſert in the Act to be made Regulating the Manner of Electing the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* to the Parliament of *Great-Britain* : The Firſt in theſe Terms, *That no Peer, nor the eldeſt Son of any Peers, can be Choſen to Repreſent either Shire or Burgh of this part of the United Kingdom in the Houſe of Commons* : And the Second in theſe Terms, *Declaring always, That none ſhall Elect, nor be Elected to repreſent a Shire or Burgh in the Parliament of* Great-Britain *from this part of the United Kingdom, except ſuch as are now capable by the Laws of this Kingdom to Elect or be Elected as Commiſſioner for Shire or Burgh to the ſaid Parliament*; Whereupon the Vote was put, *Approve of the Firſt Clauſe, or of the Second,* and it carried, *Second* : And the Liſt of the Members Names, as they Voted *Firſt* or *Second* (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

Second.

Of the Nobility.

The Lord Chancellor *allowed to be Printed amongſt thoſe who voted 2d by ſpecial Order of Parliament.*

Marq: of Montroſe *P.S.C.*
Duke of Hamilton
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*
Marqueſs of Lothian.

Earls

Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Errol
Mariſchal
Sutherland
Rothes
Mortoun
Buchan
Glencairn
Eglingtoun
Caithneſs
Wigtoun
Roxburgh
Haddingtoun
Galloway
Lawderdale
Wemyſs
Dalhouſie
Findlater
Leven
Northesk
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Marchmont
Hyndfoord
Cromarty
*S*tair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Hoptoun
Ilay.

Viſcount
Kilſyth.

Lords

Forbes
Saltoun
Semple
Elphingſtoun
Oliphant
Roſs
Torphichen
Balmerino
Blantyre
Fraſer
Bargany
Banff
Elibank
Beilhaven
Duffus
Rollo
Colvil
Kinnaird
*L*ord Regiſter

Of the Barons.

Sir Robert Dickſon of Inverask
Sir James Foulis of Colingtoun
Will. Moriſon of Preſtoungrange
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
*A*lexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw

Of the Burrows.

John Scrimſour
*L*ieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John *M*uir
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir Andrew Home
Sir James Smollet
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr: John Clerk
John Roſs
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce
William Alvis
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *D*alrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar*; I: P: D. P.

Firſt.

Of the Nobility.

Viſcount
Stormont

Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Robert Dundaſs of Arniſtoun.
Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir Robert Sinclair of Longformacus
Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Patrick Home of *R*entoun
Sir William Ker of Greenhead
Sir Gilbert Eliot of *M*into
Archibald Douglaſs of Cavers
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John *P*ringle of Haining
William Baillie of *L*amingtoun
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
John *S*inclair yor. of Stevenſon
James Hamilton of Aikenhead
Mr. Alexander Ferguſon of Iſle
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Mr. Will: Cochran of Kilmaronock
Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
Mr. Robert Steuart of Tillicultry
*S*ir John Houſtoun of that Ilk
Robert Rollo of Powhouſe
Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
John Halden of Glenagies
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
*S*ir David Ramſay of Balmain
Will. Seton younger of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant yor. of that Ilk
John Forbes of Culloden
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor. of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
Mr. Thomas Hope of Rankeilor
James Halyburton of Pitcurr
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
William Maxwell of Cardineſs
Alexander Mckye of Palgoun
*J*ames Sinclair of *S*tempſter
Mr. James Dunbar yor. of Hemprigs
Sir Henry Innes younger of that Ilk
Mr. Alexr. Abercrombie of Tillibody
Mr. George Mackenzie of *I*nchcoulter
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
Robert Inglis
Walter *S*tuart
Hugh Montgomery
*A*lexander Edgar
James Scot
Sir John Anſtruther
Sir John Areskine
James Spitle
William Coltran
Sir Peter Halket
Robert Kellie
Mr. William Carmichael
John Hutchiſon
Archibald Sheils
Mr. John Lyon
Mr. Dougal Steuart
George Brodie
Sir David Cuninghame
*M*r John Carruthers
George Home
Mr. Rorie Mackenzie
Mr. Robert Frazer

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MINUTS
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Tueſday 28. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read* ;

THen the Parliament proceeded to Conſider in what manner the ſeveral Shires of this Kingdom ſhall chooſe the thirty Members appointed to repreſent them in the houſe of Commons of *Great-Britain* ; As alſo in what manner the ſeveral Burrows ſhall chooſe the fifteen Members appointed to repreſent them in the ſaid houſe of Commons.

And after reaſoning thereon, a draught of an Act was offeredſettling the manner of electing and ſummoning the ſixteen Peers and fourty five Commoners, to Repreſent *Scotland* in the Parliament of *Great-Britain.*

Which being read, it was moved, to proceed to conſider that Clauſe of the Draught of the Act appointing the Shires of *Bute* and *Caithneſs* to have only one Repreſentative, the Shires of *Nairn* and *Cromerty* to have only one Repreſentative, and the Shires of *Clackmannan* and *Kinroſs* to have only one Repreſentative, to be choſen *Alternatively*, and the haill other Shires and Stewartries of this Kingdom, now repreſented in this preſent Parliament, each to have one Repreſentative in the Parliament of *Great-Britain.*

And it was alſo moved, to remit the ſame to a Committee ; And after reaſoning on theſe Motions, the Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the above Clauſe of the* Act, or *Commit.*

But before voting a Proteſtation was given in, in theſe Terms : *I* James Sinclair *of* Stempſter, *one of the Commiſſioners for the Shire of* Caithneſs, *do proteſt for my ſelf, and the other Barons and Freeholders of the ſaid Shire, that the Vote now to be put for approving the Conjunction of the ſaid Shire of* Caithneſs *with* Bute, *or any other of the leſſer Shires, is againſt our Right of being always ſeparatly repreſented in Parliament, and that becauſe the Rule of reducing Shires is by their Valuation, and ſix only to be reduced, the Shire of* Caithneſs *ought to enjoy it's Repreſentation as other greater Shires, and the Shire of* Sutherland *being leſs in Valuation than* Caithneſs, *ought to be conjoyned with the other leſſer five Shires* : Which being read, he took Inſtruments thereupon, and Mr. *James Dumbar* younger of *Hemprigs* the other Commiſſioner for the ſaid Shire of *Caithneſs* adhered thereto.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve of that Clauſe of the Act ſettling the manner of Electing Repreſentatives for Shires,* or *Commit* ; and it carried *Approve.*

Thereafter it was moved to proceed to Conſider in what manner the Burghs ſhall chooſe their Repreſentatives.

And after Debate thereon, the further Conſideration thereof was delayed till next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till the Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY Order of his Grace James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Wedneſday 29. January 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read.*

THen the Parliament proceeded to the Conſideration of the manner in which the Burrows ſhall elect their Repreſentatives to the Houſe of Commons of *Great-Britain.*

Whereupon ſeveral Schems being given in and read, in relation to the manner of the ſaid Election.

After reaſoning thereon, and upon the Number of the Diſtricts that ſhall be appointed for making of the ſaid Elections, and upon a Motion that the Burgh of *Edinburgh* by it ſelf ſhall have always one Repreſentative.

The Vote was ſtated, *whether the Burghs ſhall be divided into three Diſtricts*, or *Fifteen* (reſerving intire the Motion as to the Town of *Edinburgh* it's having one Repreſentative by it ſelf) and it carried *Fifteen*

Then the Vote was put, *if the Burgh of* Edinburgh *by it ſelf ſhall have one Repreſentative*, or *Not*; and it carried *One.*

Thereafter a Scheme dividing the Burghs into fifteen Diſtricts, each of which Diſtricts is to have one Repreſentative, was given in and Read, and is as follows : The Burghs of *Kirkwal*, *Week*, *Dornock*, *Dingwal* and *Tayn* one; *Fortroſe*, *Inverneſs*, *Nairn* and *Forreſs* one; *Elgine*, *Cullen*, *Banff*, *Inverury* and *Kintore* one; *Aberdeen*, Bervie, *Montroſe*, *Aberbrothock* and *Brechin* one; *Forfar*, *Perth*, *Dundee*, *Couper* and *St. Andrews* one; *Crail*, *Kilrenny*, *Anſtruther* eaſter, *Anſtruther* weſter and *Pittenweem* one; *Dyſart*, *Kirkaldie*, *Kinghorn* and *Brunt-iſland* one; *Innerkeithing*, *Dumfermling*, *Queensferry*, *Culroſs* and *Stirling* one; *Glaſgow*, *Renfrew*, *Rutherglen* and *Dumbartoun* one; *Edinburgh* one; *Haddingtoun*, *Northberwick*, *Dumbar*, *Lawder* and *Jedburgh* one; *Selkirk*, Peebles, *Linlithgow* and *Lanerk* one; *Dumfries*, *Sanquhar*, *Annan*, *Lochmeban* and *Kirkcudbright* one; *Wigtoun*, *Newgalloway*, *Stranrawer*, and *Whitehorn* one; And Air, *Irving*, *Rothſay*, *Campbelltoun* and *Inverary* one.

And after Debate thereupon, *Whether it ſhould be Approven*, or *Remitted to the Committee.*

The Vote was put, *Approve the Scheme*, or *Commit*; and it carried *Approve.*

Then it was moved, that the Commiſſioners for the Treaty of Union have their Expenſes allowed to them; And a Debate having ariſen thereupon, the further Conſideration thereof delayed till next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till Friday next at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of* Parliament, *Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in *Parliament*

Friday 31. *January* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THen the Parliament proceeded to conſider the Motion for allowing the Commiſſioners for the Treaty of Union their Expenſes; And thereupon a *Reſolve* was given in in theſe terms; ‘That the Charge of the Commiſſioners ſent to the Treaty of Union on the part of the Kingdom of *Scotland* who met at *London* in purſuance of Her Majeſties Nomination by Authority of Parliament, and of the Allowance to the *Secretary* of the ſaid Commiſſion, and to the Accomptants appointed by the ſaid Commiſſion, *are publick Debts*, and that there be allowed to each Nobleman who attended the ſaid Treaty at *London*, the ſum of twelve thouſand pounds *ſcots*, and to each other of the Commiſſioners attending, the ſum of ſix thouſand pound *ſcots*, and to the Secretary of the ſaid Commiſſion the ſum of four thouſand eight hundred pounds *ſcots*, and to each of the three Accomptants named by the ſaid Commiſſion, the ſum of two thouſand four hundred pounds *ſcots*, and that the ſaid reſpective ſums be payed out of the ſum of three hundred ninety eight thouſand eighty five pounds ten ſhillings *ſterl.* mentioned in the fifteenth Article of the ſaid Treaty of Union, ratified in this Parliament, and that the ſaid Sums be ranked and preferred after the ſums payable to the Proprietors of the *African* and *Indian* Company of *Scotland pari paſſu* with the firſt of the publick Debts appointed to be payed out of the foreſaid ſum of three hundred ninety eight thouſand and eighty five pounds ten ſhillings *ſterling* Money.

Which being read, upon reaſoning thereon, a Motion being made for reſtricting the *Quota's* of the Treaters Expenſes, and ſome Objections being alſo made againſt allowing the ſaid Expenſes out of the above Fund, the Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the* Reſolve, or *Alter*.

And before voting it was agreed, that the Votes be marked, and that a Liſt of the Members Names as they vote be Printed and Recorded.

Then the Vote was put, *Approve of the Reſolve*, or *Alter*; and it carried *Approve*.

It was alſo agreed, that the Earl of *Ilay* (deſigned in the Commiſſion for the Treaty *Lord Archibald Campbell*) be allowed his Expenſes as a Nobleman.

Thereafter it was moved, that the Commiſſioners for the Treaty 1702, have allowance of their Expenſes in manner following, *viz.* ‘Each Nobleman five hundred pounds *ſterl.* each Baron three hundred pounds *ſterl.* and each Burrow two hundred pounds *ſterl.*

And after debate thereupon, the Vote was put, ‘Grant Allowance t ‘the Commiſſioners for the Treaty 1702, of their Expenſes in the abov ‘manner, Yea, or Not; and it carried Yea: And the ſaid Expenſe wa declared to be a publick Debt, and it was remitted to the Committee for ſtateing of publick Debts, to ſtate and rank the ſame as a publick Debt.

Thereafter it was moved, that no Repreſentative from either Shire o Burgh from this Kingdom to the Parliament of *Great-Britain*, ſhall have any Allowance for their Charges and Expenſes in attending the ſame.

And after Debate, it being moved to delay the Conſideration thereof til next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

The Vote was put, *Proceed*, or *Delay*; and it carried *Delay*.

The Committee appointed to Meet to Morrow at nine a Clock.

Then the *Lord* Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till Monday next at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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This belongs to MINUTS 68.

IN the Parliament the Thirty firſt Day of *January* 1707, A Reſolve was given in, *That the Charge of the Commiſſioners ſent to the Treaty of Union on the Part of* Scotland, *ſhould be allowed as follows, To each* Nobleman *attending the ſame, the Sum of Twelve Thouſand Pounds* Scots, *and to each other of the Commiſſioners, who attended the ſame, the* Sum *of Six Thouſand Pound* Scots, *and to the Secretary of the ſaid Commiſſion, the Sum of Four Thouſand eight hundred Pounds* Scots, *and to each of the three Accomptants named by the ſaid Commiſſion, the ſum of Two Thouſand four hundred Pounds* Scots, *to be paid out of the* Sum *of Three hundred ninety eight thouſand Eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings* Sterling *mentioned in the Fifteenth Article of the ſaid Treaty of* Union, *to be ranked and preferred* pari paſſu (*after the Proprietors of the* African *and* Indian *Company*) *with the firſt of the Publick Debts appointed to be paid out of the ſaid Sum.* And thereupon a Vote was ſtated, *Approve of the Reſolve*, or, *Alter*, and it carried, *Approve.* And the Liſt of the Members Names as they Voted, *Approve*, or *Alter* (ordered to be Printed) is as follows.

APPROVERS.

Of the Nobility.

Marq:of Montroſe P.S.C.
Duke of Argyll
Marqueſs of Lothian.
Earls
Mar *Sec.*
Lowdoun *Sec.*
Crawford
Sutherland
Mortoun
Glencairn
Eglingtoun
Lawderdale
Findlater

Leven
Northesk
Bellcarras
Forfar
Kilmarnock
Kintore
Dunmore
Hyndfoord
Stair
Roſeberry
Glaſgow *Ther. Dept.*
Ilay.

Lords
Forbes
Elphingſtoun
Roſs
Torphichen
Blantyre
Fraſer
Banff
Elibank
Duffus
Rollo
Lord Regiſter.

Of the Barons.

Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk
Sir Patrick Home of Rentoun
Sir Gilbert Eliot of *Minto*
William Bennet of Grubbet
Mr. John Murray of Bowhill
Will. Moriſon of Preſtoungrange
Sir John Johnſtoun of Weſterhall
William *D*ouglaſs of Dornock
Mr. William Steuart of Caſtle-ſtewart
Mr. John Steuart of Sorbie
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan
Sir Robert Pollock of that Ilk

Mr. John Montgomerie of Wrae
Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes
*S*ir David Ramſay of Balmain
William Seton youn: of Pitmedden
Alexander Grant yor. of that Ilk
Mr. Æneas M'leod of Cadboll
Mr. John Campbell of Mammore
Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck
Ja. Campbell yor. of Ardkinglaſs
Sir William Anſtruther of that Ilk
Alexander Abercrombie of Glaſſoch
Alexander Douglaſs of Eagleſhaw.

Of the Burrows.

Sir Patrick Johnſtoun
Robert Inglis
John Scrimſour
Lieut: Coll: Jo: Areskin
John *M*uir
James Scot
Mr. Patrick Moncrieff
Sir James Smollet
Colin Campbell

Mr. William Carmichael
Mr. William Sutherland
Captain Daniel Mcleod
Sir David Dalrymple
Sir Alexander Ogilvie
Mr. John Clerk
John Roſs
Mr. Patrick Ogilvie
George Allardyce

William Alvis
Mr. Rorie M'kenzie
John Urquhart
Daniel Campbell
Sir Robert Forbes
Mr. Robert Douglaſs
Mr. Alexander Maitland
Mr. George *D*alrymple
Mr. Charles Campbell.

ALTERERS.

Of the Nobility.

Marqueſs of T*weeddale*
Earls
Rothes
Roxburgh

Haddingtoun
Marchmont.

Viſcount
Stormont
Lord Juſtice-Clerk.

Of the Barons.

Sir John Lauder of Fountainhall
William Nisbet of Dirletoun
Jo. Cockburn younger of Ormiſtoun
Sir Alexander Campbell of Ceſnock
William Baillie of *L*amingtoun
George Baillie of Jerviſwood
James Hamilton of Aikenhead

Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luſs
*S*ir John Houſtoun of that Ilk
Thomas Sharp of Houſtoun
John Halden of Glenagies
Mongo Grahame of Gorthy
James Halyburton of Pitcurr
John Bruce of Kinroſs.

Of the Burrows.

Sir John Anſtruther
James Spitle

Sir Andrew Home
Sir Peter Halket

John Hutchiſon

Sic Subſcribitur Seafield *Cancellar:* *I. P. D. P.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Monday 3. February 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

ORdered that the Ratifications and Warrands for Fairs to be craved this *S*eſſion of Parliament, be given in to be reviſed; and her Majeſties high Commiſſioner appoints the Earl of *Glaſgow* Lord Theſaurer-deput, the Lord Advocat, the Lord Juſtice-Clerk, and any one of the Solicitors, or any two of the whole to reviſe the ſame.

Thereafter the firſt *Sederunt* of Parliament (after paſſing the Act, ſetling the manner of electing and ſummonding the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* to the Parliament of *Great Britain*) was appointed for privat Buſineſs.

Then the Motion made the former *Sederunt* anent *allowing no Charges or Expenſes to the Repreſentatives from the Shires and Burghs of this Kingdom to the Parliament of* Great-Britain, reſumed.

And after Debate thereon, the Vote was put, *Whether there ſhall be a Clauſe in relation to the Charges and Expenſes of the Repreſentatives for Shires and Burghs inſert in the Act ſettling the manner of Electing,* &c. *Yea,* or *No*; and it carried *No.*

Thereafter it was moved, that at all Meetings of the Peers for electing of their Repreſentatives, ſuch Peers as are abſent, be allowed to have Votes in the ſaid Election by Proxies, the ſaid Proxies being Peers, and they and their Conſtituents being qualified at the time, by taking the Oaths required by Law, and that the ſaid abſent Peers may either Vote by their Proxies, or by ſending up *L*iſts ſubſcribed by them.

And after reaſoning thereon, the Vote was put, *Allow Proxies in the above terms, Yea,* or *Not*; and it carried *Allow.*

Agreed that the Meeting of the Peers for the ſaid Elections ſhall be at any Place Her Majeſty ſhall appoint within the Limits of *Scotland.*

Agreed alſo, That in caſe of the Deceaſe, or legal Incapacity of any of the fourty five Commoners to be choſen out of this Seſſion of Parliament to the Parliament of *Great-Britain*, the Shire, Stewartrie or Diſtrict of Burrows for which he is a Member, ſhall chooſe another in his place.

Agreed likewiſe, That in caſe of the Deceaſe, or legal Incapacity of any of the ſixteen Peers, the Peers ſhall meet and Elect another in place of the deceaſer.

Moved, that ſuch Peers of *Scotland* who are likeways Peers of *England*, or who after the Union ſhall be created Peers of *Great-Britain*, have no Vote in the Election of the ſixteen Peers from *Scotland* to the Parliament of *Great-Britain*.

And after Debate thereon, it was put to the Vote, *Whether any Clauſe in relation to the ſaid Motion ſhall be inſert in the above Act, ſettling the manner of Election*, &c. *Yea*, or *Not*; and it carried *Not*.

Thereafter it was agreed, that when the Votes of the Commiſſioners for Borrows, who ſhall meet for electing their Repreſentatives are equal, the Preſident of the Meeting ſhall have a caſting or deciſive Vote, beſide his Vote as a Commiſſioner repreſenting the Burgh from whom he is ſent; and that the Commiſſioner for the eldeſt Burgh ſhall preſide at the firſt Meeting, and the Commiſſioner for the other Burghs by Turns, as the Burghs are now called in the Rolls of Parliament.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

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Tueſday 4. *February* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

PEtition Lady *Mary Bruce* and *William Cochran* younger of *Ochiltrie* her Husband, craving allowance to retain the Papers therein mentioned, and the Petitioners Receipt thereof to be given up; And alſo that the Declarator therein-narrated at their inſtance may be diſcuſſed before the Lords of Seſſion ſummarly, read; and the Writs therein-mentioned ordained to be put in the Clerks Hands, and the Earl of *Kincardins* Procurators ordained to ſee and anſwer the ſaid Petition againſt the firſt *Sederunt* of Parliament for privat Buſineſs.

Then the Draught of an Act *ſettling the manner of Electing and Summonding the ſixteen Peers and fourty five Commoners to repreſent* Scotland *in the Parliament of* Great-Britain *read.*

And thereupon a Vote was put, *Allow a firſt Reading to be marked on the ſaid Act*, Yea, *or* Not; and it carried *Allow*: And a firſt Reading was marked thereon accordingly.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till the Morrow at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Wedneſday 5. *February* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THen the Act ſettling the manner of Electing the ſixteen Peers and fourty five Commoners to repreſent *Scotland* in the Parliament of *Great-Britain* again read; And after Reaſoning thereon, and ſome Amendments, the Act as amended was again read over, and it was put to the Vote, *Approve the Act*, or *Not*, and it carried *Approve.*

Draught of an Act for taking down the Fore-ſtairs and Out-ſhots in the Street or Wynd called *Mary-Wynd* of the Burgh of *Stirling*, read, and a firſt reading ordered to be marked thereon.

Overture for an Act *anent Plantation of Kirks* brought in from the Committee and read, and after ſome Amendments was ordered to be Printed.

And alſo another Overture for an Act and Commiſſion *for Plantation of Kirks and Valuation of Teinds*, brought in from the ſaid Committee was read, and ordered to be Printed.

Agreed, that the Parliament will proceed to the Conſideration of theſe Overtures the firſt *Sederunt* after they are Printed previous to all other Buſineſs.

Then a Proclamation concerning the Coyn was brought in from the Committee and read, and the Vote was put, *Approve of the Proclamation*, or *Not*; and it carried *Approve.*

Overture for an Act *againſt Popery and Papiſts* brought in from the Committee, was read, and ordered to be Printed.

Thereafter the Act ſettling the manner of electing the ſixteen Peers and fourty five Commoners to repreſent *Scotland* in the Parliament of *Great-Britain* was touched with the Royal Scepter by Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner in the uſual manner.

Then the *Lord* Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till Monday next at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of* Parliament, *Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the *Proceedings* in *Parliament.*

Monday 10. *February* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THen it was moved to proceed to privat Buſineſs conform to the *Minuts* of the third of *February* inſtant.

Moved alſo to proceed to the Conſideration of the two Overtures mentioned in the Minuts of the laſt *Sederunt*, the one *remitting the Plantation of Kirks*, &c. *to the Lords of Seſſion*; And the other *for an Act and Commiſſion for Plantation of Kirks and Valuation of Teinds.*

And after debate, the Vote was put, *Proceed to conſider the two Overtures in order to a firſt Reading*, or *proceed to privat Buſineſs*, and it carried to the *Overtures.*

Thereafter the two Overtures were read in the above order, and the Vote being put, *Mark a firſt Reading on the firſt or ſecond*, and it carried *Firſt*, and a firſt Reading was marked on the ſaid firſt Overture, remitting the Plantation of Kirks to the Lords of Seſſion.

Then the Act of Diſſolution of the Lands of *Orkney* and *Zetland* from the Crown, in favours of the Earl of *Morton* again read, and after Reaſoning and ſome Amendments, it was put to the Vote, *Approve of the Act*, or *Not*; and it carried *Approve.*

Act in favours of the Burgh of *Aberdeen* again read, and after Reaſoning thereon, and ſome Additions and Amendments, it was put to the Vote, *Approve of the Act*, or *Not*; and it carried *Approve.*

Act in favours of the Town of *Burrowſtounneſs* again read, and after Additions and Amendments, it was put to the Vote, *Approve of the Act*, or *Not*; and it carried *Approve.*

The Action upon a Proteſt for remeed of Law Sir *Thomas Dalziel* of *Binns* againſt the Lady *Caldwell* and her Husband being moved, the Procurators for either Party were ordained to be ready againſt the next *Sederunt* of Parliament for privat Buſineſs, the ſame being then to be taken into Conſideration previous to all other.

Thereafter the Act in favours of the Burgh of *Kirkaldie* again read, and after ſome Additions and Amendments, the Vote was put, *Approve of the Act*, or *Not*; and it carried *Approve.*

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Wedneſday* next at ten a Clock.

BY Order of his Grace James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and* Succeſſors *of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS
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Wedneſday 12. *February* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

REport of the Committee concerning Mr. *James Anderſon* read and Approven.

Petition for the Earl of *Melvill*, in relation to a preference for ſome Debts due to his Lordſhip by the Officers of the Army, out of the firſt of the Sums due and payable to them by the Government, read, and the deſire thereof granted.

Repreſentation for the ſix Clerks of Seſſion for a Remuneration for their extraordinar Pains and Attendance in this and former Seſſions of Parliament, read, and the deſire thereof granted conform to the deliverance on the Repreſentation.

Thereafter the following Overtures for Acts were given in and read, *viz. Act renuncing the Reverſion of Kirk-lands. Act in favours of the Inhabitants of the Shire of* Caithneſs. *Act in favours of the Earl of* Linlithgow *and* Callender. *Act for preſerving the Game. Act in favours of the Lady* Littlegill *and her Son. And Act in favours of the Earl of* Cromerty. And a firſt reading ordered to be marked on each of the ſaid Acts.

Overture for an *Act anent incloſing of Ground* read, and after Reaſoning, it was put to the Vote, *mark a firſt reading thereon*, or *Order it to ly upon the Table*; And it carried *to ly upon the Table.*

Moved to proceed to the Act *for Plantation of Kirks*, &c. and alſo moved to proceed to the Act *for additional Præmiums on* Exportation *of Victual.*

And after Reaſoning thereon, it was agreed to proceed firſt to the Act *for Plantation of Kirks*, &c. and after the ſame is finiſhed to proceed immediatly thereafter to the Act *for additional Præmiums*.

Then the Act *for Plantation of Kirks*, &c. was read; And after ſome Reaſoning thereon, the further Debate was Adjourned till next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Agreed, That the Parliament, will next *Sederunt* proceed to Elect the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* to the firſt Parliament of *Great-Britain*, and it was intimat to the Members to prepare for the ſaid Election againſt that time; And agreed that the Parliament will thereafter proceed to the Act *for Plantation of Kirks*, &c. previous to all other Buſineſs after the Election, and then to the Act *anent Draw-backs on Victual.*

The ſecond *Sederunt* of Parliament next Week appointed for privat Buſineſs.

Thereafter the Act *of Diſſolution of the Lands of* Orkney *and* Zetland *from the Crown, in favours of the Earl of* Morton, was touched with the Royal Scepter by Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner in the uſual manner.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe* Minuts *of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the *Proceedings* in Parliament.

Thurſday 13. *February* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt *Read*;

THen the Parliament conform to the Minuts of the laſt *Sederunt* proceeded to elect the Repreſentatives for *Scotland* to the firſt Parliament of *Great Britain*, and the three Eſtates having ſeparated to their uſual Places, they returned and reported their reſpective Elections, and the Liſt of the Repreſentatives is as follows.

Of the Nobility, the Duke of *Queensberry* Lord high Commiſſioner, the Earl of *Seafield* Lord high Chancellor, the Marqueſs of *Montroſe* Lord Preſident of the Privy Council, the Marqueſs of *Tweeddale*, the Marqueſs of *Lothian*, the Earls of *Mar* and *Lowdoun* principal Secretaries of State, and the Earls of *Crafurd*, *Sutherland*, *Roxburgh*, *Wemyſs*, *Leven*, *Stair*, *Roſeberry*, *Glaſgow* Theſaurer-Deput, and *Ilay*.

Of the Barons, *William Nisbet* of *Dirletoun*, *John Cockburn* younger of *Ormiſtoun*, Sir *John Swintoun* of that Ilk, Sir *William Ker* of *Greenhead*, *Archibald Douglaſs* of *Cavers*, *William Bennet* of Grubbet, Mr. *John Murray* of *Bowhill*, Mr. *John Pringle* of *Haining*, *William Moriſon* of *Preſtoungrange*, *George Baillie* of *Jerviſwood*, Sir *John Johnſtoun* of *Weſterhall*, Mr. *John Stuart* of *Sorbie*, Mr. *Francis Montgomery* of *Giffan*, Mr. *William Dalrymple* of *Glenmure*, Sir *Robert Pollock* of that Ilk, *John Hadden* of *Glenagies*, *Mungo Grahame* of *Gorthie*, Sir *Thomas Burnet* of *Leys*, Sir *David Ramſay* of *Balmain*, *William Seton* younger of *Pitmedden*, *Alexander Grant* younger of that Ilk, *Hugh Roſs* of *Kilravock*, Sir *Kenneth Mackenzie*, Mr. *John Campbell* of *Mammore*, Sir *James Campbell* of *Auchinbreck*, *James Campbell* younger of *Ardkinglaſs*, *James Halyburtoun* of *Pitcur*, *Alexander Abercrombie* of *Glaſſoch*, *Alexander Douglaſs* of *Eagilſhaw*, and *John Bruce* of *Kinroſs*.

Of the Burrows, Sir *Patrick Johnſtoun*, Lieutenant Colonel *John Areskine*, *Hugh Montgomery*, *James Scot*, Sir *John Areskine*, Mr. *Patrick Moncrieff*, Sir *Andrew Home*, Sir *Peter Halket*, Sir *James Smollet*, Sir *David Dalrymple*, Mr. *John Clerk*. Mr. *Patrick Ogilvie*, *George Allardice*, *Daniel Campbell*, and Mr. *Alexander Maitland*.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Monday* next at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the *P*roceedings in *P*arliament.

Monday 17. *February* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

THen the Act for *Plantation of Kirks,* &c. again read, and was thereafter read by Paragraphs, and after the firſt Paragraph was read, it being moved, that the matter of Plantation of Kirks *&c.* be remitted to a Commiſſion; After debate thereon, the Queſtion was put, *If the matter of Plantation of Kirks and Valuation of* **Teinds** ſhall be remitted to a Commiſſion, or *to the Lords of Council and Seſſion,* and it carried *to the Lords of Council and Seſſion.*

Then a Clauſe was offered in favours of the Macers of Privy Council in theſe terms, Declaring, that the Macers of Privy Council, who by their Gifts did attend and officiat before the ſaid Commiſſion of Parliament, ſhall continue to attend and officiat before the ſaid Lords of Seſſion in the matter committed to them by this Act, as they were in uſe to do before the ſaid Commiſſion, and none elſe, and after reaſoning thereon, the Vote was put, *Add the Clauſe,* or *Not*; and it carried *Add.*

And after ſome Amendments, the ſaid Act was read over, then the Vote was put, *Approve of the Act,* or *Not*; and it carried *Approve.*

Thereafter the Draught of an Act *for additional Præmiums on the Exportation of Victual till the firſt of* May *next,* again read, and after reaſoning thereon, and the addition of a Clauſe thereto, it was put to the Vote, *Approve of the Act,* or *Not*; and it carried *Not.*

Then the Act *diſſolving the Feu-Duties of Kirklands from the Crown, and diſcharging the Reverſion thereof* again read, and after ſome Amendments, it was put to the Vote, *Approve the Act,* or *Not*; and it carried *Approve.*

Overture for an Act concerning *Chyrurgeons* and *Apothecaries* in *Edinburgh,* given in and read, and it was put to the Vote, *Mark a firſt reading thereon, or order it to ly on the Table,* and it carried *mark a firſt Reading*; and the ſame was ordered to be Printed before a ſecond reading.

Then the *L*ord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Thurſday* next at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of* Parliament, *Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Thurſday 20. *February* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Roll Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THEN the Action upon a Proteſt for remeid of Law, Sir *Thomas Dalziel* of Binnis againſt the Lady *Caldwell* and her Husband, called; and the Parties Procurators being called; a Dilator Defence was proponed, That the Action, upon the Proteſt, could not be received, in reſpect the Lords of Seſſion have pronounced no definitive Sentence in the Cauſe; and after ſome Debate and Reaſoning thereupon, it was put to the Vote, *Determine the Dilator, or hear Parties Procurators upon the haill Cauſe*, and it carried *Hear.*

And the Parties Procurators being accordingly heard, after long Debate, the Vote was ſtated, ‘Aſſoilzie Sir *Thomas Dalziel* from the Rents of the Eſtate of *Caldwell*, preceeding *Martinmaſs* one thouſand ſix hundred Eighty Eight, on account of the Specialities of his caſe, diſtinguiſhing it from other Caſes falling under the Act Reſciſſory, Yea or not.

But before Voteing the Earl of *Ilay* gave in the following Proteſt in theſe Terms ‘I do proteſt for my ſelf, and in Name of ſuch who ſhall adhere to this Proteſtation, That this Vote relating to Sir *Tho: Dalziels* Caſe, may not at all prejudge or impair the undoubted Right of any of her Majeſties Subjects, to the Repetition of the bygone Rents of their Forefeited Eſtates, according to Law and Acts of Parliament, and took Inſtruments thereupon, and *George Baillie* of *Jerviſwood* adhered thereto.

Then the Vote was put *Aſſoilzie* or *Not*, and it carried *Aſſoilzie.*

Draught of an Act, *Diſcharging Muſters and Randevouzes, and prorogating the Suſpenſion of the Clauſe in the* Act of Security *thereanent, till the Firſt day of* January *next to come*; given in and Read, and a firſt Reading ordered to be marked thereon.

Agreed that the firſt Sederunt for privat Buſineſs, the Parliament will proceed to the Conſideration of the Acts for Naturalization of *John Henry Huguetan*, and other Forreign Proteſtants, Doctor *Stirlings* Petition, and the Actions for Protection of the Lairds of *Boyd* Elder and Younger. *George Dundaſs*, Sir *James Richardſon* of *Smeitoun*, and the Petition for *William Cochran* of *Ferguſlie.*

Reſolved, that how ſoon the Report ſhall be brought in from the Committee anent the Equivalent, the Parliament will conſider the Petitions for Sir *George Hamilton*, *Martine* of *Bruntbrae*, Captain *Slezer* and Captain *Thomas Hay*, and other Petitions for payment of Money.

Act in favours of the Burgh of *Kinghorn* Read a ſecond time, and after ſome Reaſoning thereon, it was moved that the Parliament do Reſolve to paſs no more Acts in favours of any Burgh for an Impoſition of Two Pennies upon the Pint of Ale and Beer, Browen and Vended within their reſpective Bounds; And after Debate the Vote was put, *proceed to the Act or to the Reſolve*, and it carried to the Act; and after ſome Additions made to the ſaid Act, it was put to the Vote *Approve the Act or Not*, and it carried *Approve.*

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of His Grace* James *Duke of Queensberry Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Friday 21. *February* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

THen the Act *Diſcharging Muſters and Rendezvouzes,* *till the firſt Day of* January *next, and prorogating the Suſpenſion of the Clauſe in the Act of Security thereanent till the ſaid time,* which is in theſe terms. ‘ That the whole *Proteſtant* Heretors, and all the Burghs within this Kingdom, ſhall furth with provide themſelves with Fire Arms for all the Fencible Men who are Proteſtants within their reſpective Bounds, and the ſaid Heretors and Burghs are thereby impowered and Ordained to Diſcipline and Exerciſe their Fencible Men once in the Month at leaſt; was read a ſecond time, and after ſome Amendments and Reaſoning thereon, the Vote was put, *Approve of the Act,* or *Not;* and it carried *Approve.*

Agreed, that the Parliament will next *Sederunt* take into their Conſideration the ſeveral Reports of the Committee *anent the Coyn, The Accompts of the* African *and* Indian *Company, and anent Publick Debts, and that the Petition for Colonel* Patrick Ogilvie *of* Carnes, *Sir* John Schaw *of* Greenock, *and Sir* Archibald Campbell *of* Clunies, be likewiſe taken into Conſideration the firſt *Sederunt* for Privat Buſineſs, previous to all other.

Thereafter the Act *anent Plantation of Kirks and Valuation of Teinds,* and the above Act *diſcharging Muſters and Rendezvouzes, &c.* were both touched with the Royal Scepter by Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner in the uſual manner.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner Adjourned the Parliament till *Wedneſday* next at Ten of the Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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MINUTS

Of the Proceedings in Parliament

Wedneſday 26. *February* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

REport of the Committee anent the Accompts of the *African* and *Indian Company*, was brought in and read; And it was moved that the ſame ſhould be Printed for Information.

Moved alſo, to proceed to the Conſideration of the ſaid Report, and that the ſame be read and proceeded on Paragraph by Paragraph.

And after reaſoning thereon, the Vote was ſtated, *Proceed to the Conſideration of the Report*, or *Print the ſame.*

And before Voting, it was agreed, that if it ſhould carry *Print*, the ſame ſhould notwithſtanding thereof be proceeded on the next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the Vote was put, *Proceed*, or *Print*, and it carried *Print*.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner Adjourned the Parliament till *Monday* next at Ten of the Clock

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Monday 3. March 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

REport of the Committee anent the Accompts of the *African* and *Indian* Company again read.

As alſo, an Overture *anent the Accompts of the ſaid Company* brought in and read, and after Diſcourſe thereon, It was moved to proceed on the Report of the Committee.

Moved alſo, to delay proceeding till the next *Sederunt* of Parliament, that the Overture be Printed; And after debate, it was put to the Vote, *Proceed to the Report of the* Committee, or *Print the Overture*; and it carried *Print*.

Warrand granted on a Petition to cite the Creditors of *Alexander Colvill* of *Kincardin*, in order to his obtaining a Protection.

Petition Lady *Mary Bruce* and *William Cochran* of *Ockiltrie* her Husband, againſt the Earl of *Kincardine*, and Anſwers thereto read; and the deſire of the Petition granted in the terms of the deliverance thereupon.

Repreſentation from the Council of Trade, reporting to the Parliament their procedure, and recommending their Clerk and other perſons imployed by them, for a Gratification for their pains, read; And it was agreed, to give the Council of Trade the Thanks of the Houſe for their pains and Attendance, and to take the Caſe of the Clerk and other perſons imployed by them to Conſideration when the Parliament comes to conſider the publick Debts.

Petition for Sir *John Schaw* of *Greenock*, and Sir *Archibald Campbell* of *Clunies*, craving payment of a Sum expended by them in proſecution of their Commiſſion *for keeping out of* Iriſh *Victual*, and an Allowance in time coming, read, and the deſire thereof granted in the terms of the Deliverance thereon.

Agreed that the Action at the inſtance of Sir *Patrick* and *James Ogilvies*, elder and younger of *Boyne* againſt their Creditors, ſhall be called and taken into Conſideration firſt of all privat buſineſs, and next thereunto the Action at the inſtance of *George Dundaſs* againſt his Creditors.

Then the following Acts, *viz. Act anent Foreſtairs and Out-ſhots in that Wynd called* Mary-Wynd *in the Burgh of* Stirling. *Act in favours of the Earl of* Linlithgow *and* Callendar. *And Act in favours of the Lady* Littlegill *and her Son*, were all ſeverally read a ſecond time, and ſeparatly voted and Approven.

Then the *Lord* Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Wedneſday* next at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of* Parliament, *Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Wedneſday 5. *March* 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

UPon a Motion made in favours of Mr. *James Anderſon*, he was recommended to Her Majeſty in the terms of a Recommendation a part, ſigned by the Lord Chancellor.

Petition for the Officers of the Army, in relation to the payment of their Arrears read, and it was agreed that the ſame ſhall be taken to Conſideration when the Parliament comes to conſider the publick Debts.

Report of the Committee anent the Accompts of the *African* and *Indian* Company again read; As alſo the Overture anent the Accompts of the ſaid Company: And after reaſoning thereon,

It was agreed, that thoſe of the *African* Company who payed the firſt Moiety of the ſeven and a half *per Cent.* and therein got allowance of the Annualrent of twenty five *per Cent.* formerly payed from the firſt of *June* 1696, till the firſt of *Auguſt* 1698, ſhall not now have Allowance of the Annualrent of the ſaid 25 *per Cent.* preceeding the firſt of *Auguſt* 1698, and remitted to the Committee to rectifie the Accompt accordingly.

The Committee appointed to meet to Morrow at nine of the Clock.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Friday* next at Ten a Clock.

BY *Order of his Grace* James *Duke of* Queensberry *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament,* Sir James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Friday 7. March 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read.

PEtition Dr. *George Stirling* of *Lethem*, craving payment for his Fathers Service and Medicaments, as Her Majeſties Apothecary and Chyrurgeon the ſpace therein mentioned, Read, and Remitted to the Committee to conſider and Report their Opinion what ſhall be done thereupon.

Act in favours of the Earl of *Buchan* Read, and a firſt Reading ordered to be marked thereon.

Petition for *William Bayne* Brother to the deceaſt *James Bayne* moved, and Remitted to the Committee to make a Report thereanent.

The Proceſs at the inſtance of Sir *Patrick* and *James Ogilvies* Elder and Younger of *Boyne* againſt their Creditors called, and being adviſed, Protection was granted in the Terms and with the Qualities and Reſervations mentioned in the Interloquitor thereupon.

Petition *George Dundaſs* Merchant in *Edinburgh*, craving the Continuation and renewing of a Protection formerly granted Read, and after Debate thereupon, it was put to the Vote, *Grant the deſire of the Petition or not*, and it carried *Grant*, conform to the Deliverance thereupon.

Petition for the Town of *Queensferry*, in relation to ſhoar-dues Read, and after Reaſoning thereon, it was put to the Vote, *Grant the deſire of the Petition or not*, and it carryed *Grant*, conform to the Deliverance thereupon.

Act for the Naturalization of Colonel *Scipio Hill* and other Forreigners, Read a ſecond time; and after ſome Additions made thereto, it was voted and approven.

Act in favours of the Earl of *Cromarty* Read a ſecond Time, and voted and approven.

Act of Naturalization in favours of *John Henry Huguetan* Read a ſecond Time, and voted and approven.

Overture for an Act for burying in Woollen Read, and a firſt Reading ordered to be marked thereon.

Act for preſerving the Game Read a ſecond Time, and after ſome Amendments voted and approven.

Agreed that the Action on a proteſt for remeed of Law at the inſtance of Sir *Patrick Home* againſt the Earl of *Home* be called the firſt day of private Buſineſs.

Agreed that the Petition for *Robert Preſtoun* of that Ilk and other Subtackſmen of Exciſe ſhall be taken into conſideration the firſt *Sederunt* for private Buſineſs.

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Petition *William Cochran* of *Ferguſlie* Tackſman of the Poles 1699 and 1700 with the Report of the Commiſſion of Parliament anent publick Accompts in Relation to the ſaid Poles Read, and agreed that the ſame ſhall be taken into conſideration the firſt of all private Buſineſs.

Agreed that the Action upon a proteſt for remeed of Law at the inſtance of *Preſtongrange* againſt Sir *William Scot* of *Harden* and his Lady be called the firſt day of private Buſineſs, after the Action at the inſtance of Sir *Patrick Home* againſt the Earl of *Home*.

Petition for *William Pyet* for himſelf and in Name of his Kinſmen and Relations for changing their Name Read, and the deſire thereof granted.

Action *Colvil* of *Kincardine* againſt his Creditors moved, and agreed to be called next *Sederunt*.

The Action on a Proteſt for remeed of Law, the Lady *Broadiſholm* againſt her Father in *Law* called, and the Parties Procurators being heard thereupon, after Reaſoning the Vote was put, *Adhere to the Decreet of the Lords, or modifie an Aliment*, and it carried *Adhere*.

Then the Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner Adjourned the Parliament till *Monday* next at Ten of the Clock

BY Order of his Grace James *Duke of* Queensberry, *Her Majeſties High Commiſſioner, and the Eſtates of Parliament, Sir* James Murray *of* Philiphaugh, *Lord Clerk Regiſter, Appoints the Heirs and Succeſſors of* Andrew Anderſon, *Her Majeſties Printer, to print theſe Minuts of Parliament, and that no other preſume to print the ſame.*

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Monday 10. March 1707.

Prayers ſaid,
Rolls Called,
Minuts of the laſt Sederunt Read;

A Letter from Her Majeſty to the Parliament was preſented by the Lord Chancellor and read, acquainting the Parliament, that Her Majeſty had impowered her Commiſſioner to conſent to an Act *Diſſolving all Mines and Minerals within the Dukedom of* Queensberry *from the Crown, in favours of the Duke of* Queensberry *and his Succeſſors in manner therein expreſt.*

Whereupon an Act of Diſſolution of the Mines and Minerals within the Dukedom of *Queensberry* from the Crown, was given in and read, and a firſt reading ordered to be marked thereon.

Thereafter the ſix Clerks of Seſſion were recommended to Her Majeſty, and to the Lords Commiſſioners of Her Majeſties Theſaury and Exchequer, and other Managers of the publick Revenues for payment of the Gratification allowed to them by the Parliament, for their Pains and Services in the terms of a Recommendation thereanent.

Act in favours of the Earl of *Buchan,* read a ſecond time, and voted and approven.

Upon a Petition for the Earl of *Home,* Sir *David Dalrymple* was allowed to plead for him in the Action at the inſtance of Sir *Patrick Home* againſt the ſaid Earl, and the ſecond *Sederunt* after this appointed for hearing the ſaid Action.

Report brought in from the Committee to whom it was remitted the fifth inſtant, to re-conſider the Accompt due to the *Indian* and *African* Company was read; whereby deducing the Annualrents formerly allowed by the Company, the total of the Sums due to the Company of Stock Intereſt and Debts at the firſt of *May* next, will only extend to *L.*232884 05 $\frac{2}{3}$ *Sterling.*

And after ſome reaſoning thereon, the Vote was put, *Approve of the above Sum as the Quota, Yea,* or *Not*; and it carried *Approve.*

Thereafter it was moved, that ſeing the *Quota* due to the *Indian* and *African* Company was now eſtabliſhed, that the Diſtribution of the above *Quota* ſhall be committed to the Commiſſioners appointed, or to be appointed for diſpoſing of the Equivalent, who are to be under the ſame Obligations and Qualifications, and lyable to the ſame Diligence to the ſeveral Proprietors and Creditors of the Company, as is contained in the Report of the Committee.

And it was alſo moved, that the above haill *Quota* ſhall be payed in together to ſuch perſons as are, or ſhall be appointed by the Council General, or Directors of the Company, for diſtributing thereof in the above terms.

And after ſome Debate, a Vote was ſtated, *Whether the* Quota *due to the Indian and* African *Company ſhall be payed by the Commiſſioners for diſpoſing of the Equivalent (who ſhall be lyable conjunctly and ſeverally* in ſolidum *to a Charge of Horning as upon Forreign Bills and Inland-Precepts, and that the payment ſhall be made by the ſaids Commiſſioners to each particular Proprietor without delay, loſs or Defalcation, and that the ſaids Commiſſioners, nor any of them, or any other in their name upon their account, or for their behove, ſhall not take right to the ſaids Debt, or make Compoſitions, or Tranſactions thereanent, under the pain of Infamy and other pains of Law;*) or *to perſons to be appointed by the Council General and Directors of the Company.*

But before voting, it was agreed, that the Members Votes be marked, and that the Liſt of their Names as they ſhall vote be Printed and Recorded.

Then the Vote was put, *Whether the Money ſhall be payed by the Diſpoſers of the Equivalent to the Proprietors*; or, *to perſons to be appointed by the Council General*; and it carried *to the Proprietors.*

Ordered, that the Directors of the *Indian* and *African* Company, ſhall betwixt and the firſt day of *May* next to come, make up exact Liſts of the reſpective Debts which then falls due to the ſeveral Proprietors of the ſaid Company, or to ſuch Perſons to whom the ſame is transferred by the firſt Proprietors, and that the ſaid Liſts ſo made up ſhall be ſubſcribed by five of the Directors, and by them be delivered in, to the Mannagers of the Equivalent, betwixt and the ſaid day.

As alſo, Ordered that the ſaid Directors ſhall when required give out to every Proprietor, or Perſon in whoſe Favours Transferrences are, or ſhall be made, exact Abbreviats of the particular Sums which falls due to each of them, at the ſaid firſt day of *May* next, ſubſcribed by three of the ſaid Directors, and that *gratis*, in order to the Proprietors or Perſons to whom the ſame is transferred, their demanding payment thereof, or uſing diligence therefore.

Ordered likeways, that the ſaid Directors ſhall betwixt and the ſaid firſt day of *May* next to come, make up an exact Accompt of all *Debts* due by the ſaid Company, and to whom, and of the Extent of every Creditors Debt at the ſaid firſt day of *May* next, and that they ſhall betwixt and the ſaid day deliver to the Diſpoſers of the Equivalent the ſaid Accompt duely ſubſcribed by five of the ſaid *Directors*; As alſo, that they ſhall give out to every Creditor an Abbreviat of the particular *Debts* due to him *gratis*, which is to be ſubſcribed by three of the ſaid Directors to the effect foreſaid.

Ordered, that Diligence ſhall paſs, and be directed at the inſtance of the Diſpoſers of the Equivalent againſt the Directors of the ſaid Company, for recovering exact Liſts and Accompts of all the Debts of the Company immediatly after the ſaid firſt day of *May* next, in caſe of their Deficiency.

Ordered alſo, that the ſaid Directors ſhall betwixt and the firſt day of *May* next, make up and deliver in as above, exact Liſts and Accompts of the dead Stock of the ſaid Company, and that the ſaid Directors ſhall have allowance of the Sum of 300*lib. ſterl.* out of the firſt and readieſt of the Price of the Companies Houſe, to be diſpoſed of by them, for defraying the Charges of making up the Liſts and Accompts.

And upon a Petition given in by Captain ***Colin Campbell***, Captain *Charles Stuart*, Lieutenant *Robert Turnbul*, who were Sufferers and Loſers in the Companies Expedition and Service, there was a Sum allowed to them out of the ſaid dead Stock, conform to an Interloquitor on their Petition.

Agreed alſo, that upon the Commiſſioners for diſpoſing the Equivalent, their receiving of the above Sum of 232884 *l.* 5*ſh.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *ſterl.* There ſhall be a Proclamation iſſued from the Privy Council, certiorating the Liedges, that the ſaid Sum is in their Hands, and thereupon agreed that the ſaid Company be diſſolved.

Report brought in from the Committee anent the Coyn was read, and the further Conſideration thereof delayed till next *Sederunt* of Parliament.

Then the *Lord* Chancellor by Order of Her Majeſties high Commiſſioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

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